

ATLAS I.C.B.M.
FIRED SEVERAL
HUNDRED MILES
TO TARGET AREA

Missile Follows Prescribed Course in 'Limited Range Test' — It Is Designed to Go 5000 Miles.

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla., Dec. 17 (AP)—The Air Force successfully launched an Atlas intercontinental ballistic missile today.

The Air Force announced success "on a limited range" and said the Atlas traveled several hundred miles, landing in a pre-selected target area.

(The Air Force said in Washington the Atlas dived into the Atlantic and sank after reaching its target area. The spokesman said data on performance of the Atlas's major parts was transmitted electronically back to Cape Canaveral by a tele-meter tape system. He said it will require several weeks to decode and interpret the information.)

The weapon, 100 tons of metal and fuel, roared skyward from the missile test center here at 12:38 p.m. after long hours of preparation.

It disappeared into a cloud layer 2000 to 3000 feet above ground within one minute of launching.

5000-Mile Range. The Atlas is designed to deliver a hydrogen warhead to a target 5000 miles away in a flight time of 30 minutes.

To reach maximum range, it would attain an altitude of 600 miles.

Within 20 minutes after the launching the Air Force here and the Defense Department in Washington announced that "this was a limited range test of several hundred miles."

"The missile flew its prescribed course and landed in the pre-selected impact area," the statement said.

(Pentagon sources said the fact that the missile landed in what was termed "the pre-selected impact area" did not necessarily indicate that it hit a target small enough to require great accuracy. It was explained that the impact area used in some tests covers a wide area in the South Atlantic.)

The Atlas is powered by three rocket engines delivering 270,000 pounds of thrust. Two previous test firings of Atlas missiles were unsuccessful.

Only a sprinkling of beach watchers observed the blast-off.

The first sign of the firing was a belch of white smoke. Ground haze was so intense that the missile itself could not be seen.

Dot of Flame Appears. The smoke rose higher and then a dot of flame appeared. The flame rose and the missile came into view.

Then the fiery exhaust became a burning sun boring a hole into the clouds.

Through binoculars, observers noticed also last night that the Vanguard rocket launching tower was lighted and the scene of much activity. One report had it that there would be another Vanguard launching attempt about Dec. 23.

The launching stand was damaged Dec. 6 by a satellite-bearing Vanguard three-stage rocket which failed to take off properly and burned on the ground. The stand has been dark, or nearly so, each night since then.

Other activity at the missile test center pointed to plans soon to launch two intermediate range missiles, the Army

Successful Launching



Jets of flame trail from tail of Atlas missile just before it disappears into low-hanging clouds after launching today at Cape Canaveral, Fla.

FOG AGAIN FORCES
AIRPORT TO HALT
MORNING FLIGHTS

Fog closed in on the St. Louis area for the second consecutive day today, forcing cancellation of all commercial airline flights at Lambert-St. Louis Field from 6:20 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.

Visibility dropped to one quarter of a mile at Lambert Field at 6:20 o'clock and to one-sixteenth downtown, the Weather Bureau reported. By noon visibility downtown had increased to one eighth of a mile. Today's fog was much denser in the downtown area than yesterday's, but at the airport it was less severe, compared with yesterday.

Weatherman George N. Brancato said the fog was general in the Mississippi and Ohio valleys and the Central Plains states as it was yesterday. At Joplin and Vichy, Mo., visibility was reported to be zero. At most places, the fog was accompanied by light drizzle or rain.

Brancato said fog, cloudiness and occasional rain may continue into Thursday. "Typical London weather," he added.

30-DAY FORECAST:
WARMER THAN
USUAL FOR AREA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The Weather Bureau said yesterday this was the outlook for the 30-day period from mid-December to mid-January.

Temperatures to average above seasonal normals over most of the nation east of the Continental Divide except for near normal over the northern tier of states and in the extreme southeast.

Below normal temperatures are expected over central and northern areas west of the Divide with near to above normal in southern portions.

Precipitation is expected to exceed normal west of the Divide and also over the northern third of the country. Sub-normal amounts are indicated over the southern third of the nation east of the Divide.

In remaining areas near normal amounts are in prospect.

LEADING STOCKS DROP \$1
TO \$4 ON ACTIVE MARKET

STEELS, MOTORS, METALS AND AIRCRAFTS HIT—BROKERS BLAME GLOOMY BUSINESS PICTURE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—Leading stocks dropped \$1 to \$4 today, closing at the session's low. Trading was active as the market declined.

Steels, motors, metals and aircrafts were hit hard by the selling. Several issues went into new low ground for the year.

Brokers blamed the slide on the gloomy business picture, including reports of more factory layoffs and a report industrial production in November declined for the third straight month.

Bruce Smith Jr. of New York submitted a 143-page report on the city's police department, pointing out weaknesses in every unit and calling for re-

organization from top to bottom. Smith said lack of supervision from the grade of sergeant on up, the chain of command and restrictive promotion procedures handicap the force.

He recommended tighter supervision, promotions based on merit rather than seniority, reorganization of the top command and addition of about 100 radio patrol cars.

Members of the police commission withheld comment.

SAFE IS FORCED,
\$8000 STOLEN
AT STIX GARAGE

Burglars at Service Building Seize C.O.D. Money Collected by Drivers.

About \$8000 in cash was stolen in a burglary early today from a safe in the Stix, Baer & Fuller service building at 3720 Laclede avenue.

Burglars apparently used an acetylene torch to burn the combination off the safe to get the money, which had been collected by truck drivers in payment for merchandise they delivered.

The thieves forced a rear window to get into the building, police said. They apparently were familiar with the building, because they went directly to the shipping clerk's office, where the safe was kept.

To get to that office, they forced open two locked doors. The burglars left behind a crowbar, star drill and a screwdriver.

Louis Lassiter, a maintenance employee, who arrived for work at 6:45 a.m., discovered the forced window and reported it to Carl Meinhardt, supervisor of deliveries. When Meinhardt arrived, he found the battered safe.

The theft occurred between midnight when the last employees left and the time Lassiter arrived. There is no night watchman in the building, which is used as a truck garage and shipping center.

WOULD REMOVE
MOSQUITO FROM
MOSQUITO CREEK

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—Twelve Longview (Wash.) families living along the banks of Mosquito Creek have asked help from Senator Henry Jackson (Dem.), Washington, to get the name changed to Harmony creek.

Mrs. J. D. Duchscher wrote, in forwarding the requests, that the present name is psychologically depressing to property values and doesn't aptly describe this "particularly beautiful" area.

"It would be far more pleasing to have the name convey beauty and pleasant ideas," and Harmony creek does just that," she said.

Jackson referred the suggestion to the Board of Geographic Names and was told the board will take up the idea at its next meeting.

Toy Sputnik a Hit in Russia. LONDON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The Moscow radio said today a revolving toy Sputnik, powered by a foot pedal and known as a pednik, is all the rage with Soviet Christmas shoppers.

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Alert System Being Rushed, Douglas Testifies—Expects to Have Big Missile in Two Years.

(Picture on Page 2A.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (UP)—Air Force Secretary James H. Douglas said today the United States would have no advance warning if Russia launched an intercontinental ballistic missile today.

But, Douglas said, "we are moving with utmost urgency to secure" an adequate warning system that would enable the H-bomb-carrying planes of the strategic Air Force to wheel into immediate retaliatory action.

Douglas was the lead-off witness for the Air Force in the Senate Preparedness subcommittee's investigation of lags in the United States missile and satellite program.

He said the Air Force expected to have an operational intercontinental ballistic missile within two years. The original target date was 1965.

The Air Force will have an operational unit of intermediate range missiles by December, 1958, he said, and added: "I hope it will not be a year after that date" when the intercontinental missile will be in operation.

Earlier, Douglas said he expected an operational I.C.B.M. in the "not too far distant future."

Has No. 1 Priority. Gen. Thomas D. White, Air Force chief of staff, said "We hope to have an I.C.B.M. very soon and I am working very hard on it." He said the 5000-mile range missile has the "number one priority" in the Air Force.

Douglas said the United States had a rocket engine, supplemented by a second stage booster, strong enough to put a 1000-pound earth satellite into orbit. However, he admitted under questioning, the only tests so far have not been successful.

Assistant Secretary of Defense William H. Holladay gave similar testimony to the House subcommittee on the same day.

They presumably referred to the Atlas intercontinental missile, which is understood to have a rocket thrust almost as great as Russia used in launching its 1120-pound Sputnik II satellite on Oct. 4.

The missile had mechanical trouble in two test firings but was successfully fired today in a limited range test.

At the close of the morning session Douglas told the Senators of the successful firing.

Douglas said the Air Force was developing a plane which would be a "step towards a manned satellite." He said it would fly at a speed of more than a mile a second (more than 3600 miles per hour) and at an altitude of 100 miles.

This presumably was a reference to the X-15 rocket research plane being developed jointly by the Air Force, the Navy and the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics.

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Explains Snark Cutbacks. Douglas gave the reply after critical questioning by Weiss and Senator Stuart Symington (Dem.), Missouri, about Air Force cutbacks in the Snark, an air-breathing intercontinental guided missile, before the I.C.B.M. was successful.

Douglas said it was an example of "time overrunning a development." The Snark was overtaken by development of the Atlas.

"Had (the Snark) come along sooner, it undoubtedly would have had a larger place in the program," Douglas said.

Weiss read a letter from Northrop Aviation, makers of the Snark, saying that as of September, 1957, the total Snark program had been reduced to "less than one-third" of its former size, "both as to total quantity and to rate."

White said the Air Force was looking for a replacement for the current fiscal year had been cut by one-half.

Cut Challenged. Symington demanded to know "why you cut production when you have never fired successfully its replacement?"

White said the Air Force with its fund limitations, had to "make a mix of desirable weapons" and the "Snark doesn't do anything that a manned bomber can't do."

White said the United States must get about the business of conquering outer space, which he said may become an area of combat.

Senator Styles Bridges

ALLIES TELL NATO COUNCIL
TO DRAFT COMMON POLICY
TOWARD SOVIET PROPOSAL

German Leaders Calling on Eisenhower



PRESIDENT EISENHOWER chats with West German CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER (left) and Bonn FOREIGN MINISTER HEINRICH VON BRENTANO (right) after German leaders arrived for visit at American Embassy in Paris today.

PRESIDENT STIRS
DISTRUST IN NATO
TALK, REDS SAY

Press, Radio Assert He Keeps Up Cold War and Ignores Bulgarian Peace Appeal.

MOSCOW, Dec. 17 (UP)—The Soviet press and radio accused President Eisenhower today of keeping up the cold war and ignoring peaceful issues in his keynote speech to the NATO conference.

Moscow radio said the President was proclaiming "the old Dulles brink-of-war scheme."

Pravda, in a dispatch from Paris, said:

"The leader of the American delegation tried to reconcile the irreconcilable—to reassure the public with the statement that the United States, while not closing the doors to peace moves, will maintain an atmosphere of international distrust."

All the Soviet newspapers gave prominence to reports sharply criticizing President Eisenhower as well as stressing the "growing conflicts" in the opinions of members.

Spaak Denounced. Pravda accused the United States of seeking to impose its will on NATO. It also attacked NATO Secretary General Paul Henri Spaak for rejection of a proposal to create a neutral zone in middle Europe.

Tass asserted the United States was attempting to obstruct Soviet scientific achievements through war hysteria and intensified military preparations.

A broadcast beamed to North America said those who call the United States "the great power" are the possibility of any other course but an armaments drive and intensified war preparations.

"President Eisenhower's speech was especially disappointing in this respect," the broadcast said.

"The President has spoken very much for universal peace. And so, many western experts foretold that here, too, he would introduce something new in the way of peace. But unfortunately, there was nothing of this kind in his speech."

The broadcast said the President "totally ignored" Soviet Premier Bulganin's "friendly appeal" contained in letters sent to Western leaders last week.

"Does that show realistic political thinking?" the broadcast asked.

Partners Want U. S. Checked. "Things have gone so far that some of America's European partners feel compelled to keep Washington in check," it said.

"Prime Minister Hansen of Denmark and Prime Minister Gerhardsen of Norway refuse to store United States rockets in their country. Mr. Gerhardsen said at the NATO session that the allies should persist in the quest for an East-West concord to halt the world arms race."

An earlier broadcast beamed at Great Britain said the British people had been "completely deflated" in their hopes the NATO summit council would find a way to peace. It said the establishment of rocket missiles in Europe means giving up sovereign rights to "United States atomaniacs."

Eisenhower Returns to SHAPE
Where He Headed NATO Units

AIR FORCE MAN WHO DISAPPEARED GIVES UP TO FBI

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SUGGESTIONS
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Missile Buildup for Europe Would Go On During Discussion of Possible East-West Parley.

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
PARIS, Dec. 17 (AP)—The leaders of the western alliance directed the NATO permanent council today to work out a common policy toward Russian proposals for East-West talks, thus leaving the door open for negotiations.

This was apparently part of a compromise solution that would allow military men to continue plans to beef up western Europe's strength with ballistic missiles while exploring the possibilities of diplomatic action.

The American delegation headed by President Eisenhower, who spoke several times in the debate, has been reported as willing to accept such a compromise although wanting something stronger.

Secretary General Paul-Henri Spaak of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization outlined the workings of the second day's sessions at a news conference.

Disarmament Proposal. Spaak said there also had been suggestions that the question of disarmament be taken up with the Soviet Union outside the United Nations, where negotiations are now stalled.

French Foreign Minister Christian Pineau suggested a five-hour disarmament talk embracing Britain, France, the United States, Canada and Russia.

President Eisenhower arrived 42 minutes later for the 3½-hour session but stayed on to the end. German Chancellor Adenauer left about an hour before the end.

Presidential Secretary James C. Hagerty said the President's health was not involved in his late appearance.

Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said the President's presence was not needed earlier because the foreign ministers were still working on papers.

The foreign ministers spent almost three hours discussing relations with Russia and other political problems before the chiefs of government met.

No NATO Reply to Russia. Spaak said the debate on the letters from Soviet Premier Bulganin to free world countries ended in full agreement to refer the matter to the NATO permanent council. He said there would be no NATO reply to Bulganin although the subject would be covered in the conference communiqué.

Bulganin has warned NATO members against allowing nuclear missile bases to be established on their territories. His letters also repeated Soviet proposals on other cold war issues.

Spaak said Turkish Foreign Minister Fatin Ruzhku Zorlu raised the question of the Middle East and the gravity of the situation there.

The problem of Israel was considered but Spaak said there was no discussion of Israel's borders or proposals to change them. He said the line laid down by the United Nations in 1947, Turkey was reported suggesting the border revision but has denied the report.

Several nations supported Pineau's disarmament proposal which will be covered in the communiqué at the end of the talks, Spaak said.

At yesterday's long session, Mr. Eisenhower and Dulles jointly presented the United States offer to set up nuclear missile bases on European soil.

The plan also pledged efforts to obtain congressional approval to help the allies build and run atomic submarines.

Summary of Proposal. Its main points:

1. The United States would supply an atomic stockpile to NATO, according to the Atlantic Alliance's defensive planning, and in agreement with the nations directly concerned.

In case of war, the nuclear warheads would be released to a NATO commander for use by nuclear-capable NATO forces.

2. The United States will make intermediate range ballistic missiles available to other NATO countries to be used in agreement with the supreme allied commander. The nuclear warheads for these missiles would be part of the NATO atomic stockpile. Dulles said the United States expects "to be able to deliver intermedi-

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NEW BATTLE
OF THE BULG

Normal maximum this date 43°; normal minimum 28°.

Yesterday's high 42° at 2 p.m.; low 41° at 10 p.m.

Forecast: This year, 50.98 inches; normal, 30.77 inches.

All weather forecasts, including forecasts for the next 24 hours, are prepared by the U. S. Weather Bureau.

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Weather map and weather in other cities, Page 2B.

Sunset, 4:41 p.m.; sunrise (tomorrow), 7:14 a.m.

Stage of the Mississippi at St. Louis, —0.7 feet; a rise of 0.2; the Missouri at St. Charles, 6.0 feet, a fall of 0.5.

TEAMSTER SAYS HIS LOCAL WAS NOT ALLOWED TO PICK DELEGATES

Danville (Ill.) Unit Seized by Hoffa Under Trusteeship, He Testifies, and Board Made Selection.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (UP)—

Truck driver Frank C. Frazier testified today that the Danville (Ill.) Teamsters local never got a chance to pick delegates to the convention which elected James R. Hoffa president of the international union. Frazier testified in support of 13 rank-and-file Teamsters who are trying in federal court to keep Hoffa from taking office. They charge that his election at this year's Miami Beach convention was rigged.

Frazier said Danville local 26 was seized by Hoffa under trusteeship and that members did not have an opportunity to pick their own delegates to the convention. The witness said the local was not run democratically and that he, personally, was treated unfairly.

Frazier testified that in August, 1956, he tried to offer a motion at a Danville local meeting to provide for election, instead of appointment, of the organizer and business agent. It was ruled out of order, and he was accused of promoting "friction," Frazier said. With the local under Hoffa as trustee, Frazier said he proposed that an election of delegates be held shortly before the convention. He said Ray Block, president of the local, announced that the local's executive board had already selected delegates.

Steven Edward Malone, one of the 13 Teamsters who have brought the suit to erase Hoffa's election, testified that his New York local 802 also was forced to accept delegates named by its executive board.

It appeared that the trial would keep the Teamsters union without an effective national leadership for weeks.

The trial now is in its third week. The end is not in sight. Both sides have agreed to recess Friday for the holidays and resume the trial Jan. 6.

Both Sides Rest Case in Hoffa Wiretap Trial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—Both sides rested their cases in the wiretap conspiracy trial of James R. Hoffa, president-elect of the Teamsters Union.

Summations began yesterday, the sixteenth day of the trial, before Federal Judge Frederick van Pelt Bryan.

Before summations opened, Harris Steinberg, counsel to co-defendant Bernard Spindel, a professional wire tapper, joined with Sol Gelb, counsel to Hoffa and the third defendant, Owen Brennan, president of Teamsters local 337 in Detroit, in moving for a directed verdict of acquittal. Bryan denied the motion.

Steinberg said his client's case was damaged by what he called the "overwhelming" shocking, crushing weight of adverse publicity leveled against James R. Hoffa.

The three defendants are accused of conspiring here to tap telephones in the Detroit Teamster headquarters in 1953. Steinberg conceded that phone lines in the Detroit offices were equipped so that room conversations could be overheard. He said this was not illegal.

Today, Steinberg attacked the testimony of Government witness Rudolph L. Doeckie, who said Hoffa and Brennan watched wiretaps being demonstrated at the Teamster Detroit headquarters in 1953.

Steinberg said this was the "most important single issue in the case" and declared Doeckie was slow in mentioning the alleged demonstration to Government officials, bringing it up only a week before the case went to trial.

TALK OF LIMITED WARS IS NONSENSE, RED STAR SAYS

MOSCOW, Dec. 17 (AP)—Red Star said today talk of limited wars in the age of ballistic missiles is nonsense.

"It is impossible to limit wars within any geographic boundaries when such means of mass destruction as aviation, intercontinental ballistic missiles and nuclear weapons are available," the Soviet army newspaper said. "The mass employment of such weapons inevitably would mean war on a big scale."

The paper said talk of limited wars in the United States is a "smoke screen of American imperialists who nurture monstrous plans to unleash world war with thermonuclear weapons." "Peace-loving peoples stand ready for instant retaliation," it said.

NEW PREMIER SAYS IRAQ WILL FOLLOW ARAB POLICY

BAGHDAD, Dec. 17 (AP)—Iraq's new Premier Abdul Wahab Murjan said today his government will follow Arab national policy and will work within the Baghdad pact "not for the interests of Iraq but for the interests of all Arab countries."

Addressing Parliament for the first time since taking office, he was replying to a deputy who argued the NATO conference in Paris will pave the way for making peace with Israel and that the Baghdad pact contradicts the interests of Arab states.

Testifying on Vanguard Failure



GARRISON NORTON (center), Assistant Secretary of the Navy, telling Senate Preparedness subcommittee in Washington yesterday that the Navy had wanted the recent unsuccessful firing of the Vanguard test satellite to be carried out without publicity. He said he was overruled by Assistant Defense Secretary Murray Snyder. Also testifying were R. ADM. BENNETT (left), director of naval research, and R. ADM. JOHN H. HAYWOOD, assistant chief of naval research and development (right).

RED CHINA TO LET U.S. WOMEN VISIT IMPRISONED SONS

YONKERS, N. Y., Dec. 17 (AP)—Two American mothers were notified today that the Red Chinese government has given them permission to visit imprisoned sons.

Mrs. Ruth F. Redmond, a dietitian for the Yonkers Board of Trade, said she had received a cable signed by Premier Chou En-lai in New Britain, Conn., Mrs. Mary V. Downey, a grade school teacher got notification from the Chinese Red Cross.

The Chinese government first extended invitations to relatives of United States prisoners in a 1955 radio broadcast, but it was not until this month that the United States State Department lifted its bar on travel to Red China. Passports have been issued to the two women.

Mrs. Redmond's son, Hugh Francis Redmond Jr., was arrested in 1952 while working in Shanghai for an American shipping firm and sentenced to life imprisonment for espionage. Mrs. Downey's son, John, was imprisoned after the American military plane on which he was a passenger was shot down in 1952.

MISSILES TO BE FIRED FROM BASE TO BASE IN U.S.

FORT SILL, Okla., Dec. 17 (AP)—The Army plans eventually to test its guided missiles by flying them from one base in the United States to another, Maj. Gen. Thomas De Shazo said yesterday.

The general, who commands Fort Sill, the Army's artillery center did not say when such a test would be attempted, but he said the Redstone missile was "approaching that accuracy" which would enable the Army to fire it from a base such as Fort Bliss, Tex., to an impact area near Fort Sill, 600 miles away.

Gen. De Shazo said such tests would be nothing for civilians to worry about. He said all such missiles were equipped with devices, which automatically destroy the weapon if it veers off course by a certain amount. They also can be destroyed at any time in flight through a radio signal, he added.

De Shazo noted also the Army plans to put no nuclear or high explosive charges in the missiles, and that the project was planned to test the missiles in combat situations for accuracy and effect.

JANE'S NOTES BID BY MISSILES TO REPLACE PLANES

© New York Times News Service LONDON, Dec. 17 — The emergence of guided missiles as the probable successors to manned warplanes was the major aeronautical development of 1957, according to Jane's All the World's Aircraft. The 1957-1958 edition was published here today.

Among the signs of the times are the inclusion for the first time of Italy and Japan in the guided missiles section. The other countries listed are the United States, Britain, France and Switzerland.

Although the inclusion of the Soviet Union's progress in missiles was prevented by lack of data, the book said the "astounding and epoch-making launching of two artificial satellites" proved "that Russia is far in advance of the West in the means of projecting objects, and very weighty objects, into space."

Italy was reported to be developing a surface-to-air missile with a 30-mile range. Japan was reported to be developing an air-to-air missile.

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HUNGARY BLOCKS NEWS OF FREEDOM FIGHTERS' TRIALS

BUDAPEST, Dec. 17 (AP)—Hungary's Communist regime is throwing a cloak of silence over new mass trials of anti-Russian fighters throughout the country.

Budapest's newspapers apparently received orders to remain silent about the trial of Cardinal Josef Mindszenty's personal secretary, Msgr. Egon Tursanyi, Lt. Col. Pal Lieszkowsky and 15 young Roman Catholic priests. The trial started at Budapest's Marko street municipal court Dec. 3.

Nor has there been any mention of 18 rebels from Csepel island who appeared yesterday before a court here.

A third trial, this one before Budapest's supreme court and involving top members of the former revolutionary council in Győr, likewise is kept secret. Reports of trials of other rebels in provincial towns are reaching the capital.

U.S. TURNS DOWN FLOOD AID PLEAS IN BOOTHEEL AREA

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 17 —Missouri's requests for federal disaster assistance in eight "boothel" counties in the southeastern part of the state, where excessive rainfall has resulted in crop losses estimated at more than \$60,000,000, have been denied, Gov. James T. Blair announced today.

The Governor made public a telegram from Presidential Assistant Sherman Adams in which Adams said that, on the basis of data acquired in a survey, "the situation is not sufficiently acute to warrant declaration of the area as a 'major disaster' area."

Adams told Blair the Farmers' Home Administration would continue to make emergency credit available to the farmers in the stricken area and that surplus foods also would be made available.

Blair said he is studying the situation which he described as "very critical."

FIRST FLIGHT 54 YEARS AGO TODAY, SPUTNIK PASSES SITE

KILL DEVIL HILLS, N.C., Dec. 17 (AP)—Here amid the sand dunes of the North Carolina Outer Banks, man's first took flight in a powered craft 54 years ago today.

Today, about six hours before ceremonies commemorating the flight, a man-made moon bearing the body of a dog passed over the sea just east of here and 500 miles in the sky, testifying to the giant steps in flight since the first 130-foot effort.

The passage by Russia's Sputnik II, signifying the dawn of the space age, added a sobering thought to the festivities honoring the Wright brothers, Orville and Wilbur, who ushered in the air age with their flight here.

Today's program included ground-breaking by Conrad Wirth, director of the National Park Service, for a \$250,000 museum near the site of the Wright Brothers National Monument where the flight occurred.

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SUBWAY STRIKE ENDS; SERVICE IS BEING RESTORED

Motormen Promised Help From Legislature — Walkout Lasted 8 Days.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—New York's 228-mile subway system was restoring normal service today as motormen returned to work with promises of help in the State Legislature.

The eight-day strike, which crippled the city's complicated transportation system and cost the transit authority more than \$2,000,000 in lost fares, ended last night.

More than 1500 members of the independent Motormen's Benevolent Association voted to return to work after Mayor Robert F. Wagner, Gov. Averell Harriman and state legislative leaders promised "fair treatment."

Removal of Control. State Senator MacNeil Mitchell, Manhattan Republican, promised the strikers he would introduce next month in the state Legislature a bill stripping the transit authority of control over the designation of bargaining units up to the city-owned subway and bus lines.

The M.B.A. struck Dec. 9 after the transit authority adopted a fact-finding board's recommendations that bargaining rights be assigned on a system-wide basis. This would have forced the city-owned Transit Workers Union, which claims 17,000 of the 32,000 subway workers, of retaining its position as sole bargaining agent.

Mitchell's proposed law would leave the separate craft bargaining units up to the state labor relations board. The board would decide on the basis of "the best public interest."

Meanwhile, Michael J. Quill's T.W.U. mustered only one third of the eligible votes in the transit authority election yesterday to decide the representation issue.

Shunned by Half. About half the subway workers stayed away from the election. Quill claimed victory from the 10,029 T.W.U. votes, with several smaller unions getting about 4500 votes. In a similar election three years ago 27,000 voted and 25,000 of them voted for Quill's union.

The M.B.A. had accused Quill of favoring rank-and-file subway workers over skilled craftsmen in bargaining with the transit authority.

The strikers were promised by Wagner that there would be no mass reprisals without an impartial hearing, even though state law provides for the discharge of subway strikers.

Four top M.B.A. officers, including President Theodore Loos, were released from jail shortly after the strike ended. They had spent the entire eight days in jail for contempt of a no-strike injunction.

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More Millions for DEW Line To Adapt It to the Missile Age

As Warning System Stands, It Is Useful Only if Russia Attacks With Planes — New Installation Sought.

By WILLIAM McGAFFIN The Chicago Daily News-Post-Dispatch Special Radio. Copyright, 1957.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 — The United States has spent millions of dollars on the Distant Early Warning line stretching 3000 miles across Alaska and Canada.

Now more millions will have to be spent because, as it stands, the DEW line can warn of a Russian attack only if the Russians will oblige us by never flying anything other than planes over it.

The Air Force will request the coming session of Congress to authorize half a billion dollars for the installation of a new-type, long-range radar on the line. Such an installation, it is said, would have a range of 3000 miles and the capacity to give us from 15 minutes to a half hour's warning of Russian intercontinental ballistic missiles on their way to key targets.

But even when this was installed, our Pacific and Atlantic coasts still would be exposed to the Soviet ballistic threat unless our Navy picket line is equipped with the new radar.

Sputniks and Budget. This is one measure of what Russia's Sputniks are going to do to the federal budget next year and for years to come.

With demonstrable proof from the Sputniks that the Russians have forged ahead of us in missilery, our military forces are having to take a second look at our defenses.

The Pentagon insists that the Strategic Air Command, the Navy and the DEW line have not been made obsolete.

But defense officials admit that the job has been made tougher by the threat of Russian missiles—and that more money will have to be poured

into our defenses to keep them up to the war deterrent level. The Navy has great hopes for Polaris, the 1500-mile intermediate range ballistic missile it is developing. By spending more money on Polaris, the Navy thinks it may have it at sea by 1960, a year ahead of schedule.

In the coming budget, the Navy will ask Congress for authorization to build atom-powered, missile-firing submarines—and, assuming the request is granted, these should be ready by 1961. Craft like these will be used for firing the Polaris—and they will make the Navy's missile one of the world's deadliest weapons.

Counter to Red Missile. In the Navy view, it will be an effective counter to Russia's I.C.B.M., since it can be fired from under water.

This means greater surprise, no problem of getting our allies to let us fire it from foreign soil, no problem of keeping the land firing base intact against a Russian attack.

The Air Force is convinced that manned bombers will be needed through the 1960s. Ballistic missiles have not reached the stage of perfection yet where they can replace them, either in Russia or the United States, it says.

While no one falls for the Russian line that manned bombers are obsolete, it is recognized that a faster bomber will have to be developed to replace the B-52, which was developed at the cost of several billion dollars to replace the B-36.

So research is going forward now on a 110-A, a supersonic bomber that would be powered with chemical, or as the air-men describe it, "exotic" fuel. The price tag promises to be as exotic as its fuel.

PEARSON WOULD ANSWER BULGANIN POINT BY POINT

MONTREAL, Dec. 17 (AP)—Lester B. Pearson, Nobel Peace Prize winner, suggested yesterday that Canada answer the latest letter of Soviet Premier Bulganin point by point.

"Perhaps the time has come for the West to send a few letters itself," the former foreign secretary said in a luncheon address. "We react too often and don't act enough ourselves."

Pearson expressed hope the NATO summit talks in Paris may develop some ideas "to encourage and facilitate new diplomatic and political initiatives" on the Western side.

Bulganin's latest letter, directed to all members of the United Nations and to neutral Switzerland, repeated a series of Russian proposals professed to be aimed at easing world tension, and sought another East-West summit conference.

TWO ACCUSED OF SELLING FAKE PAINTINGS ARRESTED

ISERLOHN, Germany, Dec. 17 (UP)—Two members of an international gang of painting swindlers have been arrested and charged with selling copies of old masters, German police said today.

Police said Emanuel de Nieuwe, alias Pimental, and Friedrich Kohn were arrested when trying to sell a collection of fake paintings to an Iserlohn dealer who became suspicious. According to police, the two men had been sought by Interpol, the international police organization, for several years and had collected about \$1,500,000 in six years working their racket.

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IRANIAN QUAKE AREA LOOKS LIKE BOMB TARGET

U. S. Official Tells About Great Desolation — Hundreds Dead, Bodies Sought.

(Picture in Everyday Magazine.)

TEHRAN, Dec. 17 (UP)—Grim-faced troops dug through rubble and debris today in search of victims of last week's earthquakes in northwestern Iran.

Eyewitness accounts said "the scene was one of desolation." Villages looked as if they had been bombed by an "enemy revenge squadron," they reported.

One of the towns hardest hit in the series of quakes was Farsinaj. "I have never seen such concentrated destruction nor such shock and grief," said Clark S. Gregory, United States Point IV director, who has just returned from a three-day tour of the disaster area.

"As we came near Farsinaj we saw a number of survivors fleeing with whatever they had been able to salvage," Gregory said.

"At one side was a burial ground thronged with mourners. We were told more than 500 victims had so far been buried and that 100 or more bodies lay in improvised litters along the banks of a nearby stream awaiting burial.

"It was estimated there were several hundred more still embedded in the rubble of Farsinaj."

All of the dwellings in the village, built mostly of mud, brick and stones, were leveled. An officer told the United Press in Farsinaj that his troops had removed 1500 bodies from the rubble. He added that at least 50 persons died of injuries in the last few days.

Point IV ambulances were helping the wounded and supplying food and milk to survivors. Gregory said Point IV funds had been allocated for relief.

TV in Auto, Driver Arrested. HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 17 (AP)—Harold Smith was charged yesterday with operating a car equipped with a television receiving set. It is believed the first time the charge has been used since it was introduced in the Ontario highways act in 1953. The penalty for a first offense is a fine of \$5 to \$50.

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STATE ATTACKS GILLIAM STORY THAT FATAL SHOT WAS ACCIDENTAL

Prosecutor Asserts
Deputy Marsden
Would Have Had
Difficulty Drawing
Revolver.

By ROBERT H. COLLINS
A Staff Correspondent of the
Post-Dispatch.

IRONTON, Mo., Dec. 17—Audrey G. Gilliam, who was captured after an intensive 28-hour search last July, was expected to testify in his own defense today at his trial for first-degree murder in the fatal shooting of Chief Deputy Sheriff James H. Marsden of Jefferson county.

Presentation of the state's case against Gilliam, whose home is in Huzzar, Mo., was resumed before a jury of 12 men this morning in the Iron county circuit court. The case was transferred here on a charge of venue from Jefferson county.

Prosecuting Attorney W. H. S. O'Brien presented evidence apparently intended to disprove statements made previously by Gilliam that the shooting was accidental. The defendant has said the revolver was in Marsden's hand when it discharged.

Butt Forward in Holster. Prosecution and defense concurred in a stipulation that Marsden carried his revolver with the butt forward, a fact which Gilliam testified he saw Marsden do. Gilliam said Marsden, who was holding a billy club in his right hand, drew the revolver with his left.

O'Brien pointed out in his opening statement that it would have been difficult for Marsden to draw his weapon in this fashion.

First witness at the trial, which began yesterday, was Mrs. Kathleen Marsden, widow of the deputy. She was riding with Marsden, she testified, when he stopped Gilliam on State Route 21 near Hillsboro last July 11 and attempted to arrest him for leaving a filling station without paying for \$3.50 worth of gasoline.

Identifies Gilliam. Mrs. Marsden, who gets about with the aid of a cane, identified Gilliam as the man her husband tried to take into custody. Her head was turned when the fatal shot was fired from Marsden's service revolver, however.

"I noticed my husband was having trouble firing the man in our car," said Mrs. Marsden, who was sitting in the right-hand front seat of the machine. "Mr. Marsden was pushing him into the back seat, but he kept kicking the door open."

Mrs. Marsden said she was leaning over to pick up her cane, lying in front of her on the floor of the car, when she heard a shot. She looked up and saw her husband slumped on the ground at the side of the machine. Gilliam was running toward his car parked nearby, she said.

Following her testimony, the trial was recessed for about two hours when a juror, Isom Lewis of Annapolis, Mo., became ill. He later returned to the courtroom and the trial was resumed.

Other Witnesses. Prosecutor O'Brien next presented eight witnesses who were driving by as the shooting occurred, or arrived on the scene immediately afterward.

Harry Eads, 3262 Jamieson avenue, St. Louis, testified he was driving a machine in which his wife, his father-in-law, Otto H. Roth, and Mrs. Elsie Albers, 7430 Flora avenue, Maplewood, were riding.

"As I approached I saw the two cars parked beside the highway and noticed two men fighting," Eads said. "The younger man was in the back seat of a car. The deputy, who had one foot in the car and another on the ground, was swinging a billy club at the other man."

"I slowed down as we passed by. Just beyond I heard a pop or bang. My wife said, 'Wasn't that a shot?' I stopped and began backing up. I looked in the rear vision mirror and saw the younger man run from the car to a maroon colored car and drive away fast."

Testimony Supported. Others in the group corroborated parts of Eads' testimony. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and John Lembeck of De Soto and City Manager Andrew J. O'Rourke of De Soto, reached the scene a minute or two after the shooting and described what they saw. The man identified as Gilliam had left by that time, O'Rourke used his two-way automobile radio to

Missouri-Illinois Forecasts

Missouri: Cloudy through tomorrow, with occasional light rain or drizzle and considerable fog; a little warmer in north tomorrow; low tonight 38 to 42 in north, to 50 in south; high tomorrow 50 to 55 in north, to 60s in south.

Illinois: Cloudy with occasional rain tonight and tomorrow; a little warmer in extreme north tonight, and over most of state tomorrow; low tonight from 30s in extreme south to 40s in extreme north; high tomorrow 45 to 54 in north, 54 to 62 in south.

Witness and Defendant



MRS. JAMES H. MARSDEN, who testified about fatal shooting of her husband at trial of Audrey G. Gilliam, charged with Marsden's murder.



By a Post-Dispatch Photographer.
AUDREY G. GILLIAM

DICKMANN'S PLEA TO SPEED MAILING BRINGS RESULTS

St. Louisans apparently heeded Postmaster Bernard F. Dickmann's plea to get their Christmas cards in the mail if they are to be delivered by Christmas, a spokesman said today.

Yesterday's cancellations totaled 6,533,303 compared with only 2,826,006 for Sunday and 6,619,800 for the same day last year. "We're only about 100,000 short of last year's cancellations," the spokesman said.

Dickmann compared postal receipts, including stamp sales, with the total pieces of mail canceled and came up with the conclusion that lots of people have their Christmas mail stamped and ready to go, but have just neglected to mail it. "If people continue to delay mailing their cards and packages," Dickmann said, "the post office is going to have quite a strain getting it all delivered before Christmas."

MONKEY CAN OUTSMART MAN

CHICAGO, Dec. 17 (UP)—J. J. Shaffer, the director of the Chicago Anti-Cruelty Society, explained yesterday why he sent three men to capture a monkey loose in a factory.

"You can't match one man against one monkey," Shaffer said. "The man will be outsmarted every time."

summon Jefferson county deputies and De Soto police.

Hale W. Brown, one of Gilliam's lawyers, said the defendant would take the stand but did not indicate whether there would be other defense witnesses.

The jury was selected during the morning session yesterday. Prosecutor O'Brien failed to challenge one juror who indicated he did not believe in the death penalty, a possible sentence under first-degree murder.

Circuit Judge Sam C. Blair of Cole county is presiding at the trial. He replaced Circuit Judge E. T. Eversole, who disqualified himself because he knew the 68-year-old Marsden.

WOMAN FINED \$75 FOR POLICE SCUFFLE

She Struck Three Officers
and Bit One of Them
Twice on Leg.

Miss Susan Madden, a model, 5607 Waterman boulevard, was fined \$75 by Provisional Police Judge Karl F. Lang today as a result of a scuffle she had with three police officers at City Hospital in which she struck the officers and bit one of them twice on the leg.

Patrolman John Voepel, who is stationed at the hospital, said Miss Madden, 26 years old, and her escort, George Durgin, Baltimore, Md., went to the hospital at 1:30 a.m. today for treatment of a cut on Durgin's head. It was learned later that Durgin had been cut in a fight with a customer at the Paddock Bar, 4047 Olive street.

Voepel said Durgin refused to tell him how he was hurt and Miss Madden insisted on going into the receiving room with Durgin, which is against the rules.

A fight started and Miss Madden, the officer said, hit him in the face with her fist, kicked him in the shins, bit him twice on the leg and tore his trousers. She also slapped Patrolman August Palazzolo and Prison Guard Henry R. Gentile. She was finally subdued and the officers put handcuffs on her wrists and ankles.

Durgin testified that Miss Madden was "concerned" with his safety. He added that three officers pushed her away from him.

"An officer slapped me," Miss Madden testified, "so I slapped him back." Assistant City Sausage Boy Fish asked Miss Madden what she had been drinking in the bar. She replied "Peppermint schnapps."

After the officers handcuffed her at the hospital, she was reported as saying, "It took three of you to handle me, and you did."

Judge Lang fined her \$50 for resisting arrest and \$25 for peace disturbance. Durgin is charged with affray. A hearing on his case has not been set yet.

\$3000 FUND FOR CHILDREN OF TWO KILLED IN AIR CRASH

A drive to raise funds for the benefit of the children of two men killed in a plane crash Sunday has neared the \$3000 mark in pledges and cash collected, Donald V. McKee, attorney, said today. Employees at Weiss Airport, St. Louis county, and friends began the drive yesterday. The crash victims, Richard D. Harness, 30 years old, and Robert A. Puccetti, 27, were mechanics at the airport.

McKee, who is a private pilot, with a plane based at the airport, said the money will be used only for the benefit of the children of the victims. Harness is survived by his wife and four children, and Puccetti by three children and his wife, who is expecting another child.

YOUTHS ROB TWO PAIRS IN AUTOS IN TOWER GROVE

Suspect Held After Two
of Victims Follow
Hold Up Men, Take
License Number.

The occupants of two automobiles parked in Tower Grove Park were held up early today by two youths armed with a hammer and a bottle, who fled with \$160.

Two of the victims followed the robbers' automobile and reported a license number, which was traced to a 17-year-old youth living in south St. Louis. Although identified, he denied participation in the holdups.

Arthur Stone, 5315 Gladstone place, Normandy, and Miss Barbara Cole, a secretary, 4354A Swan avenue, were accosted at 1:30 a.m. by the youths, one of whom pulled open the door of Stone's automobile and threatened him with the hammer. He took \$80 from Stone and fled in an automobile with his companion, who carried the bottle.

Fifteen minutes later Richard Lodes of 53 Buckley Meadows, Lemay, and Mrs. Ruby Bailey, 4443 West Pine boulevard, were held up by the same pair, one of whom took Mrs. Bailey's purse containing \$80. Lodes and Mrs. Bailey followed the robbers to Kingshighway, where they obtained the license number of the machine, and reported it to police.

Abraham Malley, a collector for a clothing firm, was seized and choked in the 5000 block of Kensington avenue last night by three youths, who fled with \$200. Malley, who lives at 7317 Tulane avenue, University City, said the robbers wore white caps.

Mrs. Ida Feibelman, operator of a drug store at 3442 North Ninth street, was held up last night by two men, who fled with \$25. One man was armed with a revolver, she reported.

Virgil Clayton, attendant at a filling station at 504 North Boyle avenue, was robbed of \$42 by two men last night. One robber threatened Clayton with a revolver and ordered him into the washroom.

Christ Bayer, proprietor of a confectionery at 931 South Second street, was robbed yesterday by two men, one of whom was armed with a revolver. The robbers took \$55 and fled. It was the second robbery at the store in a week, police reported.

Two young men who broke into the market of Vernon Frenzler, 2301 South Jefferson avenue, early last night were captured by police, summoned by the proprietor, who lives above the store. Nothing was taken.

When officers arrived at the rear of the establishment, they found a 17-year-old youth, who said he is Harold Haggard, living in the 4400 block of Norfolk avenue, crawling through a broken door panel. Inside the store was Ralph Simmons, a clerk, 2700 block of Pestalozzi street. Police said Simmons is on probation from a prison sentence he received for burglary in 1955.

PROFESSOR IS DISMISSED

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—The city's Board of Higher Education voted unanimously last night to dismiss Warren B. Austin, assistant professor of English at City College, accused of denying falsely under oath that he was ever a Communist party member.

The board found Austin guilty of conduct unbecoming a college professor. It dismissed him without pay from the date of his suspension last May 21. Austin has been a member of the faculty for 26 years.

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TWO HERE JOIN ZECKENDORF IN MILL CREEK BID

Queen, Salomon to Be
Partners With New
Yorker if He Gets
Job.

Edgar M. Queen, board chairman of Monsanto Chemical Co., and Sidney Salomon Jr., St. Louis insurance man, have joined William Zeckendorf as partners in the proposal to redevelop the Mill Creek Valley area, it was announced today by Webb & Knapp, Inc., Zeckendorf's real estate firm in New York.

"We always have emphasized that we would like local participation in the project," a spokesman for Webb & Knapp declared. "If we are selected as the redeveloper, Mr. Queen and Mr. Salomon will have a financial interest."

Confirming the announcement, Salomon said he had been interested for a number of years in a development program for downtown St. Louis, and felt that Zeckendorf's experience with such projects in a number of cities made Webb & Knapp the logical choice for redeveloper of Mill Creek Valley.

Queen said that his financial interest in the undertaking would be small rather than a major share. He added that Zeckendorf had indicated that other St. Louisans would be given an opportunity to invest in the project, with half the capital investment to come from local sources.

There have been three proposals submitted for development of Mill Creek Valley. One came from Webb & Knapp. A second was submitted jointly by the St. Louis Redevelopment Corp. and the Midtown Redevelopment Corp. The third came from City and Suburban Homes Co., a New York firm.

The three proposals have been under study since Nov. 9 by the St. Louis Land Clearance Authority. The municipal agency is to announce its decision following a meeting of its commissioners tomorrow afternoon.

In outlining the Webb & Knapp proposal, Zeckendorf explained that the offer to redevelop Mill Creek Valley was contingent upon his firm being permitted also to take over redevelopment of the Plaza area. This project has been awarded to the Urban Redevelopment Corp. of St. Louis, organized by a group of St. Louisans. The group has indicated that it would be willing to turn over the Plaza project to Zeckendorf if he makes satisfactory arrangements on Mill Creek Valley.

Zeckendorf built the Hampton Gardens Apartments in St. Louis. His firm last month bought the Syndicate Trust-Century building, and two other downtown buildings from Locust-Ninth Realty, Inc., of which Salomon is executive vice president.

The Mill Creek Valley redevelopment area comprises 465 acres, bounded by Twentieth and Olive streets, Grand boulevard and the railroad tracks and extending west from Union Station. The general redevelopment plan drafted by the Land Clearance Authority allocates 165 acres for industrial use, 75 acres for residences and 25 acres for commercial establishments.

Van Remoortel to Be Conductor Of St. Louis Symphony Orchestra

Young Belgian Appointed Subject to Final Approval by Board.

Edouard Van Remoortel, young Belgian conductor, has been appointed conductor and musical director of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, subject to final approval by the symphony's board of directors at a meeting late this afternoon at Hotel Chase, the Post-Dispatch was told today.

Orrin S. Wightman Jr., president of the Symphony Society, said Van Remoortel signed a "memorandum of understanding" for a three-year contract in New York last week. He said the board would be asked today to authorize a final contract.

Van Remoortel, 31 years old, the chief conductor of the Belgian National Orchestra since 1951, was the unanimous choice of the symphony's music committee, headed by Morton D. May. He will succeed Vladimir Golschmann, who resigned early this month after 27 years as conductor here.

The salary Van Remoortel will receive was not disclosed.

Guest Conductor. In the last two weeks, Van Remoortel was guest conductor of the St. Louis Symphony in two pairs of concerts. He is now in New York, and is planning to fly back to Belgium to spend the Christmas holidays with his family. He is not married.

"We feel fortunate in securing one of the world's outstanding young conductors to head our orchestra," Wightman said. "His reasonable and musically knowledgeable conductor impressed us all."

In a telegram to Wightman, Van Remoortel said: "I am exceedingly happy to accept the conductorship of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, an organization I came to admire during my two weeks as its guest."

"I shall do everything in my power to make this great orchestra even better. It is with pride that I link my future with a city of the rich musical heritage that is St. Louis. Eagerly I accept the challenge of making your orchestra prouder of itself, and your city prouder of it."

Would Return Jan. 14. Van Remoortel, who speaks excellent English, conferred frequently with the symphony board's music committee when he was here. If his contract is approved, he will return Jan. 14 to meet with the board to discuss programs, soloists and various other matters concerning the 1958-59 season.

The newly appointed conductor made his first visit to the United States in 1951. His North American debut as a conductor was last December with the National Symphony Orchestra in Washington. After Christmas he will conduct the symphony orchestras of Dallas, which is seeking a new conductor to replace Walter Hendel, and Denver.

Born in Brussels May 30, 1926, Van Remoortel studied at the Brussels and Geneva (Switzerland) conservatories and won first prize in the violinello at both. Since deciding at 17 to take up conducting as a career, he has directed more than 50 orchestras on four continents.

He worked under Camargo Guarnieri at the Academia Chigiana at Siena, Italy, and was awarded first prize in competition with more than 100

NEW CONFERE AT THIRD PARLEY ON LITZINGER

Cole County Prosecutor
Riley Called In—Dis-
cussion of Venue In-
dicated.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 17—James T. Riley, prosecuting attorney of Cole county, was called into the conference of Attorney General John M. Dalton and Prosecuting Attorney Edward W. Garnholz today concerning the course of action to take in the investigation of Sheriff Orion J. Litzinger of St. Louis county.

This is the third conference Garnholz, of St. Louis county, has had with the Attorney General concerning Litzinger's conduct in office. The sheriff is under fire for charging both the state and a professional bondsman for the return of bail jumpers to St. Louis county.

Riley was asked to attend today's conference, it was understood, to discuss questions of venue if charges are brought against Litzinger.

Following the last conference Dec. 13, Dalton said no conclusions were reached, because certain legal problems, which required considerable research, would have to be resolved before a decision could be made. Among these problems, it is believed, was the question of whether charges, if any, against the sheriff should be filed in St. Louis or Cole county.

Today's meeting started at 2 p.m.

Conferees assisting Garnholz were Assistant Prosecuting Attorneys John A. McCarty and Noel Robyn. Dalton had Assistant Attorneys General Robert P. Welborn and John Inglish.

SOVIET SCHOOL EXPERIMENT

MOSCOW, Dec. 17 (AP)—The Russian Republic, the largest of the Soviet Union, is opening 50 new schools next year in which 9th and 10th grade students will work half time in classes and half time in factories or collective farms.

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(Rep.), New Hampshire, asked Douglas if he believed Russian claims that they would shoot a rocket to the moon within a year or whether he regards them as "pure bunk."

"I think it might be done," Douglas replied, "at least near the moon. I understand there are some target difficulties. But it is a real possibility."

"Can we do the same thing in the foreseeable future?" Bridges asked.

"I think we can, if we want

to, within the foreseeable future," Douglas replied.

Douglas told the subcommittee that in his judgment "the Russians are ahead of us" in missiles. He said that in view of this the "single most important action" that could be taken by this country would be to "accelerate and enlarge" Air Force missile programs.

He said the Air Force had recommended speed-ups in all three of its ballistic missile programs—for the intercontinental Atlas and Titan and the intermediate range Thor.

He said he had received Administration approval for two

of the three speed-ups, apparently for the Atlas and Thor. The Titan has never been tested.

Asks About Squadrons. Symington challenged Douglas to tell the country how many Atlas squadrons were planned for 1961. Symington, one-time Air Force secretary, said the number was "very low."

Douglas said that would not be proper question to answer in public session.

"Are you getting as much as you asked for approved by the White House?" Symington asked.

Douglas said the step-up for the Atlas program had been approved.

Symington accused Douglas and the Air Force of rejecting the recommendations of Maj. Gen. Bernard A. Schriever, commander of the Air Force ballistic missile division, for a greater expansion of the Atlas program. He called the Schriever recommendations "low" and said the Defense Department was allowing even less than that.

Symington asked whether Douglas was responsible "for reducing the recommendations of Gen. Schriever."

Douglas refused to discuss any details of the Schriever report but merely said he, Douglas, takes responsibility for the Air Force program.

No 'Crash' Projects. He told the subcommittee that the Air Force would go to Congress with requests for substantially increased funds after the first of the year. He said, however, he did not think an independent "crash" project for missiles and satellites, similar to the Manhattan project which developed the A-bomb, was "practical" at present.

Douglas said the Air Force "does attach" great military significance to space satellites.

"Ballistic missiles are our immediate problems, but satellites are of such importance, we shouldn't distinguish between the two," he said.

Douglas was asked how he regarded proposals to set up a new federal commission, independent of the Defense Department, to handle scientific research and the conquest of space.

"I disagree completely with that," he said.

Douglas was asked how much more it would cost to put both the Jupiter and Thor into production than if just one had been chosen.

\$200,000,000 Extra. Douglas replied that he was uncertain but estimated the cost at \$200,000,000 more than production of the Thor alone. He said this extra cost would decline as the programs expanded.

The Defense Department decision to produce both, he said, would give assurance against unforeseen delays with either missile.

In an opening statement to the subcommittee, the air secretary said it was important that the Strategic Air Command be strengthened while the nation is perfecting its missile weapons of tomorrow and aims at the conquest of space "the day after tomorrow."

He said SAC must be put on a broadened alert, that the tanks which fuel its bombers in flight must be "deployed

more efficiently" and that "we must further disperse SAC's strike units."

Chairman Johnson closely questioned Douglas when he said he did not think restrictions on overtime payments had so far damaged the missile program.

Cite Discrepancy. Johnson pointed out that Defense Secretary Neil H. McElroy already had testified that limitations on overtime were the "principal bottleneck" discovered in the missile development program.

"You apparently are not familiar with (McElroy's) testimony or you are in disagreement with him," Johnson declared.

Douglas said he thought overtime restrictions could damage the program but did not believe they have hurt it so far. However, he said, "I think it is very important that they be eliminated."

The restrictions were imposed by former Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson. They were in effect from August to November.

Subcommittee Counsel Weiss said Conair and Lockheed, two big missile contractors, had told the subcommittee that lack of overtime authority had been a major handicap.

Weiss asked Douglas if he were satisfied with the present state of the Air Force missile program. Douglas replied he was not but "I don't think the Air Force is ever satisfied."

By the Associated Press. Chairman Johnson asked Douglas to tell him in simple words "What do you think, one, two, three, four, we ought to do to speed up our missile development?" After trying several times, the senator got these points from the secretary:

1. Expand research, which he said is being done.

2. Accelerate and increase "The planned operational capacities of Atlas and Titan" by spending more money in both the 1958 and 1959 fiscal years. The fiscal 1958 ends next June 30.

"You keep poking around here and we'll strike some pay dirt yet," Johnson commented.

Working with the Atomic Energy Commission, Douglas said, the Air Force is busy on experimental development of nuclear powered rockets and ramjets, "both of which might be applied to future missile developments and for penetrating farther into space."

Douglas repeatedly emphasized that while the weapons of tomorrow are being worked out, and those for the day after are being planned, the Air Force must "maintain the deterrent force with the weapons of today."

Newer Bombers on Way. Lt. Gen. Francis Griswold, vice chief of SAC, told a seminar on missiles yesterday that "there are still many years of service left in our B-52." He said still newer bombers were coming along, mentioning in this connection a "hypersonic" bomber.

Griswold also told the meeting, arranged by the Air Force Association, that intercontinental ballistic missiles and manned bombers would be used together for a long time.

J. Sterling Livingston, a Harvard professor specializing in military management, told the Senate subcommittee yesterday the United States took more than twice as long as Russia to produce new-type weapons because he said it took too long to make decisions in this country.

Livingston presented figures which showed that the average development time for weapons system in the United States was 10 to 11 years, five years in Russia. As an example, he said the B-52 long-range jet bomber took eight years to develop in this country, while its Soviet counterpart, the Bison, took four and one-half years.

Blames System. The professor said no one individual group was the villain in the matter. The trouble is with the system, he said, adding "we must have a management break-through" to speed up the decision-making.

Livingston said development and production can be speeded up by taking four steps:

1. Providing alternate designs.

2. Authorizing a tooling-up for production as soon as the design is finished.

3. Giving contractors greater authority to make technical decisions.

4. Setting up weapons system agencies in the Defense Department with full authority over design, development and production.

In this country, he said, the approving of a design is divided between contractors and the military—something that is unknown in the Soviet Union.

To illustrate how this division of authority means delay, Livingston cited a contractor who wanted to change a clock in an airplane cockpit from a one-day to an eight-day instrument.

The contractor had to prepare a justification. This went to the Defense Department representative in his plant, then to the military technical people, then to a committee that had to make the ultimate decision, then back down the line.

Russia has an advantage, Livingston said, in having three or four designs under way at once and authorizing production tooling for all that look sensible, even though only one

actually will be produced.

In this way, he said, the Russians can get into production in a year, whereas it usually takes us two and three-quarters years. He said it would be entirely possible for the Soviets to get into production of operational intercontinental missiles within a year after production of a prototype. Published reports, he said, indicate they are proceeding with designs for two intercontinental missiles and two intermediate range missiles.

To a question whether there is a percentage of waste under the Soviet system of alternate designs and multiple tooling, Livingston replied that scrapping some production tooling is in itself wasteful but it is "a very good way to buy time and insurance."

Advances in Polaris. The subcommittee heard cheering news about a recent break-through in development of the Polaris, a 1500-mile missile designed for launching from ships and submarines.

R. Adm. W. F. Raborn, director of special projects for the Navy, said significant technical advances had been made in the Polaris. He said a break-through in use of solid fuel for this missile had come in the last three days.

Raborn surprised the subcommittee by saying he did not need any more funds to speed up the Polaris project.

"We're in a dead run," Raborn said. "We are now in a full gallop. I don't think we could go any faster without falling on our faces."

However, Adm. Arleigh Burke, chief of naval operations, stepped in at this point to say that Raborn was talking about the first Polaris missile and the first specially designed submarine to launch it. He said as soon as the weapon and the submarine were perfected, the Navy was going to need a lot of money for quantity production.

New Plea for Cash. Burke said the Navy would include in its next appropriations request an item for building the first submarine equipped to handle the Polaris.

Burke testified the Navy and the Air Force which have had their differences in the past—now were co-operating fully and exchanging "a tremendous amount of information."

Burke, the United States Navy's top uniformed officer, said also there was a fruitful exchange of information with the British navy.

The subcommittee received testimony that conflicted with previous information reported given the group in closed session by Allen Dulles, head of the Central Intelligence Agency. Dulles had been quoted as saying the Russians have some submarines equipped to fire missiles on United States coastal cities.

R. Adm. C. E. Weakley, director of the Navy's undersea warfare division, told the Senators the only evidence the Navy had that Soviet submarines were equipped with missiles was an article in the Red Fleet Magazine.

He said that so far the Russians had given no evidence they have nuclear-powered submarines, but he assumed they would be able to duplicate the United States feat in building such craft.

Weakley said the Soviets had about 475 submarines. Counsel Weiss said the subcommittee had heard a figure nearer 600. Weakley said he would not go higher than 500. The undersea warfare chief

said the Navy was maintaining a 24-hour anti-submarine alert in the face of a threat to sea communications that he termed "without parallel in the peace-time history of the world."

Burke said the United States Navy now had control of the seas but that the future is uncertain.

Meanwhile, Murry Snyder, assistant secretary of defense for public affairs, replied to Navy officials who blamed him for the publicity surrounding the recent unsuccessful effort to launch a test earth satellite from Cape Canaveral, Fla.

Snyder issued a statement last night saying that "no responsible official has ever recommended to me that the public interest required a complete blackout of information with respect to any Defense Department program of a non-military nature."

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Garrison Norton told the Senate subcommittee earlier yesterday the Navy wanted to conduct the Vanguard test on Dec. 6 in secret, but he said this was overruled by Snyder. The Navy supervises the Vanguard project, which is run by civilians.

R. Adm. Rawson Bennett, director of naval research, also blamed Snyder.

In another development, the Air Force said yesterday instructions to its personnel not to talk about space flight projects had been suspended more than a month ago. A House subcommittee disclosed Saturday that the Air Force memorandum had been issued last July, a little more than two months before Russia launched its first Sputnik.

Panama Legionnaires Make Appeal for Nickerson. BALBOA, Canal Zone, Dec. 17 (AP)—The Panama Canal Zone Department of the American Legion has asked President Eisenhower to put Col. John C. Nickerson back to work on missiles.

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EARLY HEARINGS ON N.Y. CENTRAL CUT IN SERVICE

The Illinois Commerce Commission will schedule hearings "in the near future" on the application of the New York Central Railroad to discontinue all of its rail passenger service between Indianapolis and St. Louis, a spokesman for the commission said today.

Applications were filed yesterday by the railroad with the public utility commissions of Illinois and Indiana for permission to end the four trains it operates each way daily on the Indianapolis-St. Louis run. At the same time, the road appealed to the Ohio Public Utilities Commission for authority to discontinue the single train it operates daily each way between Cincinnati and Toledo.

The St. Louis-Indianapolis abandonment, which would mean the end of all New York Central passenger, mail and express service to St. Louis, will receive "very careful scrutiny" from the Illinois regulatory body and a full opportunity to be heard will be given to both proponents and opponents, the spokesman said.

Ernest C. Nickerson, vice president in charge of passenger sales and service, said the Indianapolis to St. Louis operation has been conducted in 1957 at an "above the rail" loss of \$1,250,736, and the current year's loss on the Cincinnati-Toledo operation would total \$39,442.

The combined loss of \$1,290,178 on the two operations represents the difference between the revenues the trains produced and the costs of operating them, he said. It does not include the cost of maintaining rights-of-way or taxes imposed on property used by both freight and passenger trains, he explained. In 1956, the road lost \$402,975 on these two lines.

Dwindling passenger traffic and the competition of other forms of transportation were blamed by Nickerson for the operating losses.

"As an example, the number of passengers carried by us between Indianapolis and St. Louis decreased by approximately 76 per cent, comparing September 1946 with last September," he said. "The Cincinnati-Toledo patronage, comparing September 1957 with September 1946, is down by 51.7 per cent."

"The passenger operations on both lines contributed heavily to the Central's total passenger deficit, which last year reached a staggering \$48,500,000 and is expected to top \$50,000,000 this year."

While freight service is still profitable, it is not sufficiently so to offset the passenger losses, Nickerson said.

"As a matter of fact, the Central this year has not earned any net income from its rail operations," he added.

Nickerson pointed out the competition on the Indianapolis-to-St. Louis run consists of eight bus lines operating 27 trips a day, two airlines operating 10 flights daily and another railroad with four trips daily. The other rail line is the Pennsylvania Railroad which parallels the Central from Indianapolis west. A study of the possibility of merging the two lines is being made.

Between Toledo and Cincinnati, one bus company offers 24 trips a day, an airline has six flights a day and another railroad offers two round trips daily, he said.

The Indianapolis and St. Louis line is 252.4 miles long and serves Greencastle and Terre Haute, Ind., and Paris, Charleston, Mattoon, Shelbyville, Pana, Nokomis, Hillsboro, Livingston and Granite City in Illinois. The Toledo-Cincinnati line, 212.7 miles long, serves nine intermediate Ohio cities.

Because New York Central provides passenger service only to St. Louis and not to other Missouri cities, the railroad need not submit the abandonment proposal to the Missouri Public Service Commission.

The passenger trains operated eastbound between St. Louis and Indianapolis are the Southwestern, Knickerbocker, Missourian and Cleveland Special. Westbound trains are the Knickerbocker, Southwestern, Missourian and Gateway.

U.S. JEWISH RELIEF COMMITTEE BACK ON JOB IN POLAND

WARSAW, Dec. 17 (AP) — The Joint Distribution Committee, big American Jewish relief organization, is back at work in Poland.

The Joint Committee was thrown out of Communist bloc countries several years ago on grounds it was an imperialist spy organization. Now it is bringing American help to thousands of needy Jews arriving in Poland from the Soviet Union.

As a first step, the committee is concentrating on food for children. Two thousand families also are being given bedding and furniture, and another 1,000 persons are expected to need these things as repatriation continues.

The aid program spotlights the plight of the Jewish community which before World War II numbered 3,500,000 in a nation of 30,000,000. About 3,000,000 died in the war. Thousands more are scattered around the world.

In the past year, 30,000 have left Poland for Israel and the West. Anti-Semitism and low living standard are the reasons. Now Jews in Poland number about 30,000. Of that number, 10,000 came back from the Soviet Union this year.

'Excessive' Value on Condemned Land Is Reduced \$500 to \$49,052

A valuation of \$49,052 was placed on a parcel of land taken by the city for widening of Jefferson avenue in a report filed yesterday in circuit court by the Permanent Condemnation Commission, Judge William E. Buder had set aside an earlier valuation \$500 higher as "excessive."

The parcel consists of 11,884 square feet beside Jefferson at Washington avenue, on the site of the old Coliseum. The rest of the site has been occupied by the Jefferson Bank and Trust Co. since April, 1956.

The commission filed its first report the following month, fixing the valuation at \$49,552 on the 11,884 square feet. The

city objected to the amount and a hearing was held before Judge Buder, who set aside the valuation and remanded it to the commission for further consideration. Yesterday's report was filed in response to the court order.

Judge Buder held that the city charter required that for purposes of assessing damages, the valuation should be fixed for the time when the appropriation ordinance for the undertaking was adopted by the Board of Aldermen. This was in November 1953, when the tract was vacant.

Counsel for the bank contended that the fair value was the value when the commissioner's report was filed, which

was shortly after the property had been improved with the bank's new building.

Judge Buder noted that the bank had paid \$150,000 for the entire tract in January 1955, and had carried the condemned portion in its records as a "land loss in the amount of \$35,384."

He noted also that the commissioner's valuation was one-third of the price paid for the entire tract, but that the city had taken only about one-fourth of it.

The city counselor's office said yesterday it has not been decided whether to object to the latest valuation. Members of the commission are L. Baylor Pendleton, chairman; Harold V. Healy, and Edward J. English.

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FAMINE IN JAVA LINKED TO DRIVE AGAINST DUTCH

JAKARTA, Indonesia, Dec. 17 (AP)—The anti-Dutch campaign has brought famine to 30 areas throughout Java and severe food shortages in east Indonesia, government circles admitted today.

Because they are not getting paid, dockyard and port workers are not obeying government orders to unload ships of the Dutch KPM line tied up in many Indonesian ports. KPM was taken over by the Indonesian Government at the start of the clampdown on the Dutch, causing a paralysis of inter-island shipping.

More than 50,000 tons of rice—the staple food—are in the warehouses of Jakarta's harbor, and 80,000 tons are due soon from Egypt and Spain, but the problem of reshipping it to famine areas remains. Local supplies of rice have been cut by crop failures in many areas. In Jakarta the price has tripled in the last six months.

Reports reaching Jakarta said Indonesian parachute troops arrested more than 100 civilians and army personnel in Ambon and other islands of the Moluccas after food riots. The Ambonese, many of whom are pro-Dutch, live in the eastern part of Indonesia near West New Guinea. Indonesia's takeover of Dutch enterprises in the last two weeks was in retaliation for the Dutch refusal to yield West New Guinea.

An Indonesian Government spokesman said Japanese ships will arrive within two or three weeks to help restore inter-island links. In Tokyo, the Transportation Ministry confirmed that two Japanese shipping firms have offered to sell Indonesia up to six 2000-ton ships.

As the anti-Dutch campaign eased, the army chief of staff ordered military commands throughout the country not to interfere in any way with operations of BPM, the Royal Shell Oil Co. A spokesman for Maj. Gen. Abdul Harris Nasution said he issued the order to insure the continued supply of oil, "which forms an important factor in this country's economy." BPM is owned by Dutch, British, French and American interests.

Efforts to bring former Vice President Mohammed Hatta back into the government continued. A nine-member parliamentary committee reported that Hatta and President Sukarno have agreed to meet with the Cabinet and Parliament in an effort to resolve their differences.

Hatta, a pro-western Sumatran, resigned in December 1956 and strongly criticized Sukarno's inclusion of Communists in the national council he set up to advise the government.

Dutch Report Receiving U.S. Assurances in Dispute.

PARIS, Dec. 17 (AP)—Dutch Foreign Minister Joseph Luns met with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles today and said afterwards he had received "better than moral assurances" on the Indonesian-Dutch dispute. He said the United States attitude which was previously reserved had devolved in a manner favorable toward Dutch interests.

Luns had previously talked with British Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd and French Foreign Minister Christian Pineau. The Netherlands is asking the NATO summit meeting to adopt a common attitude toward the Dutch-Indonesian dispute over Dutch West New Guinea.

Red World Supports Indonesia, Pravda Says.

MOSCOW, Dec. 17 (AP)—Pravda said today the Communist world stands solidly behind Indonesia in its struggle against the Dutch. Pravda said "colonizers" are putting pressure on Indonesia by threatening economic blockades and armed interference "and even by the organization of bands" to try to kill Indonesia's President Sukarno. "On the side of Indonesia are the peoples of Asia, Africa and the people of the powerful Communist camp," Pravda said. "This should not be forgotten by the colonizers who clearly are overestimating their strength in the last half of the twentieth century."

MAN GETS SIX MONTHS FOR SHOOTING INTO HOME

Henry Wilson, 800 block of Market street, East St. Louis, was sentenced to six months in St. Louis county jail yesterday when he pleaded guilty of shooting into a dwelling. He appeared before Circuit Judge Douglas L. C. Jones at Clayton. Wilson was one of three men arrested last Sept. 14 near the home of Joseph Schwartz, 126 Lancaster drive, Clayton. Wilson admitted firing a shotgun blast into the residence. He said he had been paid to try to intimidate Schwartz against testifying in a trial.

The St. Louis county prosecuting attorney's office said there would be no prosecution against George Ward of East St. Louis, who had been arrested with Wilson and Dafora Tripplette, because an investigation showed Ward was not directly connected with the crime. Tripplette, also of East St. Louis, is awaiting trial.

THEFT AT VASHON HIGH

Eight typewriters valued at \$1000 were stolen from a third floor room at Vashon High School over the weekend, police reported yesterday. Police said the door to the room had been forced, but there were no other signs of vandalism or apparent forced entry into the building.

WOMAN IS FOUND HANGED

Miss Carmela Avellone, 23 years old, a secretary, was found hanged in the bathroom of her room at the Catholic Women's Association Hotel, 4337 Maryland avenue, last night.

The body, hanging from a sprinkler pipe by a plastic cord, was found by Miss Avellone's sister, Miss Barbara Avellone, who returned to her room after an absence of several hours. Police were informed that Miss Carmela Avellone had been receiving medical treatment for depression and anxiety.

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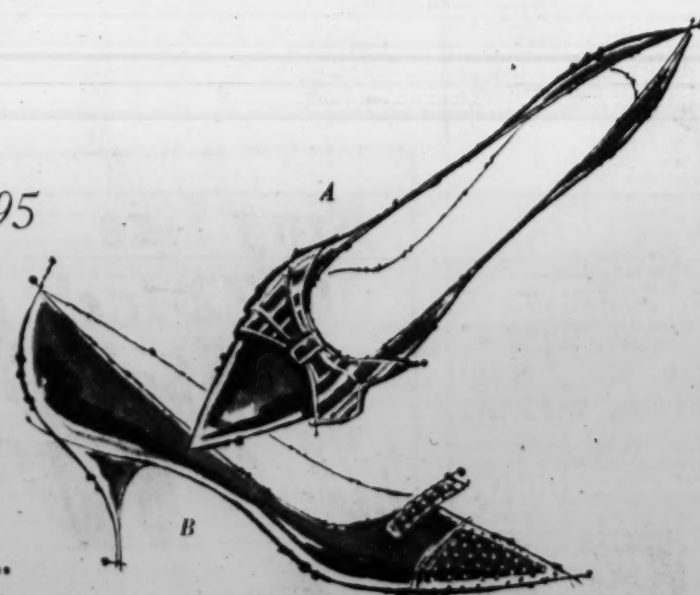
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WOUNDED MAN CAUSES INQUIRY ON ROBBERIES

Edward Fahrenholz, St. Louis and Madison county (Ill.) burglar, and a wounded man who said he is James Thompson, were to be questioned at Fairfield, Ill., today by St. Louis police about recent holdups and burglaries in St. Louis.

Thompson, who gave a fictitious address in Belleville, is in serious condition in Memorial Hospital in Fairfield with a bullet wound of the right thigh. Fahrenholz, who, with a third man, took Thompson to the hospital at 2:30 a.m. yesterday, said the wounded man had been shot in a hunting accident Sunday. Fahrenholz and the third man, who said he is Charles Hughes, were vague as to the time and place of the reported accident.

Bullet Removed. Sheriff Elmo Murgage, who placed Thompson under guard in the hospital and placed Fahrenholz in the Wayne county jail, after physicians removed what appeared to be a 45-caliber, steel-jacketed bullet from Thompson's wound.

Detective Cpl. Leo Schneidermeyer and Detective Milton Haupt, of the Penrose district flying squad, were sent to Fairfield today to question the prisoners about the \$3500 holdup and shooting at Sarhage cigar store, 2512 North Fourteenth street, last Friday.

Glen Sarhage and his father, Edgar, operators of the cigar store, exchanged pistol shots with robbers in front of the establishment. One man fell when he apparently was struck by one of the 14 shots fired by the Sarhages, but recovered and fled with his two associates.

The Sarhages used a revolver and a pistol of smaller caliber than the bullet removed from the man in the Fairfield-Hospital. Police pointed out, however, that the robber could have wounded himself with a heavier caliber pistol when he fell. The wound in his thigh ranged downward.

Men Have X-rays. Sheriff Murgage said that an effort apparently had been made to remove the bullet from Thompson before the men arrived at the hospital, and the men brought with them X-rays which had been made of the wound by an unidentified person.

The X-rays, showing the bullet, bore no identification, hospital authorities reported. It was not learned where the X-rays were made. Surgeons who removed the bullet said the wound appeared to be about three days old, and an unskilled effort had been made to probe the wound.

The man who said he was Charles Hughes remained at the hospital several hours, then left and is being sought. Fahrenholz, whose nickname is "Stuttering Eddie," was arrested at Thompson's bedside.

St. Louis police have a record of a holdup man and burglar named James Thompson. The detectives sent to Fairfield will compare his description with the wounded man.

3 ARRESTED IN PASSING OF STOLEN MONEY ORDERS

Two St. Louis men and a third man have been arrested suspected of passing \$9000 in stolen United States postal money orders, it was announced yesterday in Denver. The St. Louisans were identified as James C. West, 28 years old, and Ronald D. Griffith, 34.

E. S. Windbigler, assistant postal inspector in Denver, said the three men orally admitted stealing 129 money order forms from a post office in Rosepine, La. The orders were forged and cashed in Missouri and Illinois and four other states, Windbigler said. A companion of the three men still is being sought.

West was arrested in Kansas City and Griffith, in Phoenix, Ariz.

EX-POLICEMAN GETS YEAR'S PROBATION IN CHECK CASE

William J. Fauss, former city policeman, was sentenced to 12 months in the workhouse today after he pleaded guilty of obtaining \$25 by writing a check on a bank in which he had no funds. Circuit Judge David A. McMullan stayed the sentence and placed Fauss on probation for one year.

Fauss, 240 McAlpine drive, Glasgow Village, was arrested last Oct. 11 after cashing the check at a supermarket. He admitted writing and cashing seven checks for a total of \$160 on banks in which he had no funds. His attorney said he was now in the process of making restitution.

Formerly a clerk in the police department, Fauss became a patrolman in 1952. He resigned last Oct. 11 after the Police Inspector's office had made an investigation of the charges against him.

PLEADS GUILTY OF DRIVING WHEN DRUNK, GETS 5 DAYS

James Ayres, a presser, today was sentenced to five days in the workhouse on his plea of guilty of driving when intoxicated early last Saturday. The sentence was by Police Judge Morris Rosenthal.

Ayres, who lives at 3943 Kennerly avenue, was arrested four hours after he purchased a used automobile, which collided with a parked machine in the 1300 block of North Fifteenth street. Police quoted him as explaining that the parked car "backed into me."

EISENHOWER PUT CHRISTMAS CARDS INTO THE MAIL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—President and Mrs. Eisenhower's official 1957 Christmas cards went into the mails yesterday, to most Government officials, members of Congress and close personal friends.

Wayne Hawks, acting White House press secretary, said a different type of greeting would be sent to members of the President's immediate official family.

This year's greeting is a folded card measuring 9 1/4 by 4 3/4 inches. The face carries a presidential seal and the words, "Season's Greetings 1957." Inside, the card reads, "The President and Mrs. Eisenhower extend their best wishes for Christmas and the New Year."

Hawks said he did not believe either the President or Mrs. Eisenhower had personally signed any of the cards.

EXPLOSION AT HOSPITAL

An explosion of undetermined origin in a basement incinerator at St. John's Hospital yesterday blew off the incinerator door and cracked several windows in the basement. No one was injured.

Sister Mary Rene, administrator of the hospital, said patients visiting a clinic near the incinerator room had been dismissed a short time before the blast. The explosion was not heard beyond the first floor, she added.

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Shirley Walker, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson A. Walker, 3636 High drive, St. Louis county, was seriously injured yesterday when she was struck by an automobile as she crossed St. Charles road at St. Timothy lane, St. Ann.

She was returning home with a 10-year-old companion from St. Ann School, where she is a fourth-grade pupil. Two automobiles in the inside lane of the four-lane road stopped to let the children cross. James I. Duffey, 1300 block of Ho-diamond avenue, who was driving behind the two cars which stopped, steered his machine into the curb lane to pass, St. Ann police reported. He said he did not see the children until it was too late to avoid striking the Walker child. Tire marks indicated Duffey's car skidded 20 feet on the wet pavement, St. Ann police said.

The Walker girl was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital in St. Charles. She suffered a broken collar bone and abrasions of the face. The other girl, Charleen Wildpret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wildpret Jr., 3624 Dixie drive, St. Louis county, was not injured. Yesterday was the Walker child's birthday.

QUEEN ELIZABETH HELPS PUBLISH LONDON TIMES

LONDON, Dec. 17 (UP)—The Times of London proudly informed its readers that Queen Elizabeth helped print today's edition.

She and Prince Philip were dinner guests of the Times publishers and afterward the Queen pushed the button that started the presses.

"The Queen's visit to the Times was the first made by any reigning sovereign of the kingdom," the newspaper reported.

LACLEDE STEEL CO. TESTS NEW PIPE MILL AT ALTON

A continuous tube mill, which was two years under construction and is capable of producing 600 feet of pipe a minute, went into trial operation yesterday at the Alton Works of Laclede Steel Co., the company announced today.

First of its kind in the Mississippi valley, the mill will more than double the pipe-making capacity of the company in the next year, A. A. Boyle, vice president in charge of operations, said.

Pipe in sizes of one-half inch through four inches and in lengths up to 60 feet will be produced, continuously from coiled skelp by the new facility. Engineered by Aetna Standard Co., the mill is housed in a building 600 feet long at the west end of the present tube plant.

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LEY SAYS U.S. MAY TAKE ROCKET LEAD

Hope that the United States will come from behind to play a principal role in the "third stage of rocket development," which includes sending a manned vehicle into space, was expressed today by Willy Ley, a German-born rocket expert. Ley, in an address prepared for delivery at St. Louis University's Parks College of Aeronautical Technology, said the Germans led in the first cycle of rocket development and the Russians are ahead in the second cycle, now in progress. "The first cycle of modern

rocket work consisted very simply in making the rockets fast enough," Ley said, and this was accomplished when the mile-a-second German V-2 rocket became the first 200-mile range missile in World War II.

Ley was scheduled to be principal speaker at the college's mid-year commencement exercises but could not reach St. Louis because fog prevented his plane from landing at Lambert-St. Louis field today. His address was read by the Rev. John C. Choppesky S.J., acting dean. Ley said the next stage involved achieving rocket speeds of five to seven miles a second, enough to put instrumented satellites into orbits around the earth, to shoot to the moon, and to put up artificial planets. Russia's Sputnik 1, he said, opened the second cycle. "The year 1957 is going to

be one of the historic dates which schoolchildren of the next generation will have to learn," Ley said, because it is the year in which space travel began.

Ley said the third stage of rocket development could be expected to begin in five or six years. The problem of speed has been solved, he explained, but rockets must either grow larger, or new and more powerful propellants must be developed, before the manned space vehicles can be launched. With fuels presently available, Ley said, it requires 1000 pounds of take-off weight to put one pound of useful payload into an orbit. A manned satellite would have to have a useful payload of several tons, which means the take-off weight would have to be several thousands tons. Ley visualized the sequence of the third cycle about as fol-

lows: First a man or perhaps a small crew will go into an orbit around the earth, staying up a day or two; then a manned space station will be established; then a manned flight around the moon.

"It will not need anything new in the sense of new metals, or new fuels or even new instruments," he said. "All it will need is larger, much larger, rockets than the largest rockets of today."

Forty students received their bachelor of science degrees today from the Very Rev. Paul C. Reinert S.J., president of St. Louis University. The salutation was to be given by Father Choppesky.

Also presented were 16 certificates for the college's non-degree air frame and power plant mechanics course, a 45-week technical program.

Retires as Mayor.

CHARLESTON, Utah (UP)—Mayor James Ritchie, 86, decided not to seek re-election this year. Ritchie was elected in 1908 and has been in office ever since.

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Jere Cooper's Ailment.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (UP)—Representative Jere Cooper (Dem.), Tennessee, has a "mild heart condition," his office announced yesterday. Cooper, chairman of the House Ways

and Means Committee, has been in Bethesda Naval Hospital for about 10 days. Earlier announcements had said merely that he had a cold and was receiving a complete physical check.

Gets Top Post



By a Post-Dispatch Photographer.
WILLIAM D. BUCK

BUCK NAMED HEAD OF FIREMAN UNION

William D. Buck, who is on leave from his job as a St. Louis Fire Captain, yesterday was named president of the International Association of Fire Fighters, with headquarters at Washington, D.C. He will complete the unexpired term of John P. Redmond, who died during the AFL-CIO convention in Atlantic City (N.J.) last week, and will serve until an election next August.

Buck, former captain at old Engine House No. 22, 6810 Clayton avenue, served in the St. Louis Fire Department for 25 years. He was elected secretary-treasurer of the international union in September 1956, after serving as president of St. Louis Local 73. Buck moved to Washington following his election to the international union secretaryship. He and his wife formerly lived at 6655 Lindenwood place. He is a brother of Police Capt. John Buck of Central District.

Favorite Number. NEWARK, O. (AP)—Lucky or unlucky, the life of Clyde Oren Reel, a welder, is full of 13s. Born on Friday, June 13, 1913, and given a name with 13 letters, Reel went to work at the age of 13. When he opened his own welding business, the first machine he bought had a serial number starting with 13. He paid for it . . . in 13 months.

S. POWELL MEYER HEADS CONTRACT BRIDGE LEAGUE

S. Powell Meyer, 5555 Pershing avenue, was elected president of the American Contract Bridge League of St. Louis at

a meeting of the organization's board of directors last night at the Forest Park Hotel. He succeeds Mrs. Colin K. Lee, 119 Waverly place, Webster Groves.

Other officers elected for 1958 were George Rosenschein,

823 Westwood drive, Clayton, vice president; M. C. Ballard, Belleville, secretary, and Mrs. M. C. Ballard, Belleville, treasurer. Plans were made for holding five major tournaments here next year.

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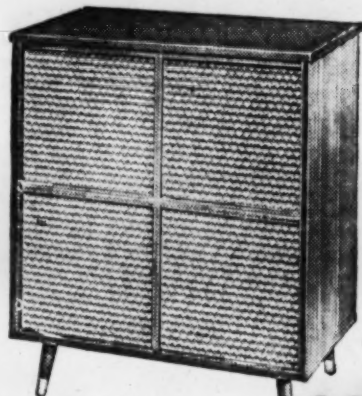
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JUDGE INVITED TO TENNESSEE RACKET INQUIRY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP) — The Senate Rackets Investigating Committee will resume its hearings on alleged labor terrorism in Tennessee this afternoon. It has invited a Chattanooga criminal court judge to hear the testimony.

Chief counsel Robert F. Kennedy said in advance that the committee had sent an invitation to Judge Raulston Schoolfield, but had not received a reply.

Kennedy said witnesses in the hearing would include Glenn W. Smith, president of the Teamsters Union's Joint Council 87, which embraces Tennessee and part of Kentucky. He was one of 13 Teamsters for whom Schoolfield in 1953 directed a verdict of acquittal on charges of con-

spiracy to commit violence in a labor dispute. Senator John L. McClellan (Dem., Arkansas), the committee chairman, has criticized the handling by local law enforcement officials or investigations of dynamite, beatings and other violence described by witnesses before the committee.

Kennedy said Smith, former president of Chattanooga Teamsters local 515, would be questioned on such matters as dynamite, properties of the Purdy Packing Co. and Newman-Pemberton Truck Line in Knoxville, the Southland Cotton Oil Co. in Jackson, Miss., and a bombing in Tallulah, La.

Kennedy said he expects to question Hubert L. Boling, secretary-treasurer of Local 515, who was acquitted with Smith and 11 others in the 1953 case handled by Schoolfield.

Schoolfield was an unsuccessful candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Tennessee in 1954. He first was elected to the Hamilton county criminal court in 1948 to fill a vacancy. He was re-elected in 1950 to a full eight-year term. He has not announced whether he would seek re-election next year. Schoolfield twice ruled in favor of the defendants in the

conspiracy case involving Smith, Boling and 11 other defendants. On March 15, 1952, Schoolfield held the indictment against them as invalid, declaring it was "in the simplest terms, too broad." He said the indictment did not give the defendants a clear enough picture of what they were charged with so they could formulate a defense.

The Tennessee Supreme Court reversed this ruling and ordered the case tried. In the trial, Schoolfield directed acquittal of 12 of the defendants. The thirteenth defendant was not in Tennessee at the time and did not stand trial.

In directing the verdict on July 1, 1953, Schoolfield said: "The state has proven commission of acts of violence, but not who did them. I wouldn't know how to charge the jury fairly or intelligently."

The charges included a variety of offenses, including assault.

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COURT IS SHORT OF LAWYERS — VOLUNTEER TYPE

United States District Judge William G. Juergens in East St. Louis was forced to recess his court for 45 minutes today while assistant United States Attorneys frantically called law firms to get volunteer counsel for indigent defendants.

When court opened, 11 cases

were on the docket, including waivers of indictments and arraignments. Nine of the 11 defendants appeared without counsel, saying they could not afford to employ attorneys.

Judge Juergens looked around the courtroom and found only one attorney, Delmar Koebel, who was not representing a defendant. The judge assigned Koebel to one of the cases.

He then recessed court until 11 a.m. while Assistant United States Attorney James B. Moses and others telephoned for additional lawyers.

BRITISH LIVING COSTS RISE ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH Tues., Dec. 17, 1957 11A

LONDON, Dec. 17 (AP) — Cost of living in Britain is still on the rise.

The Ministry of Labor reported last night the index rose 1 point to 108 last month. The new increase, in the face of a government campaign against inflation, was attributed mainly to higher prices for coal and rents.

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HOME BUILDERS ASK FOR CREDIT EASING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—Home builders said yesterday the Government must liberalize housing credit if 1958 is even to match this year's reduced rate of residential construction.

Members of the National Association of Home Builders, meeting with federal housing officials, called for Government steps to bolster public confidence.

Richard G. Hughes, chairman of the board of trustees of N.A.H.B., said most builders believe that if the Government will act to stimulate activity the two-year housing slump will be checked.

If the Government fails to restore buyer confidence, Hughes said, N.A.H.B. members expect that new home starts next year will drop about 10 per cent from this year's level.

Government officials now expect about 975,000 privately financed new dwellings will be

started in 1957, making this the first year since 1949 in which private residential activity has fallen short of the 1,000,000 mark.

Most of the builders who foresee improvements in their areas next year, Hughes said, base their view on the fact that their cities were "depressed" building areas this year.

The builders proposed that:

1. The Federal Housing Administration lower the amount of monthly income required of home buyers to qualify them for FHA mortgage insurance.

2. FHA down payments be reduced.

3. The Government provide "something to replace G.I. housing"; in other words, a new program of small down payments and long mortgage amortization for lower-cost housing.

4. Congress repeal the 1957 law requiring FHA to regulate the discounts taken by banks when they purchase FHA mortgages.

Loot Fits the Crime.
RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—Policeman Bernard J. Davis would like to install some stolen property on the thief who took it from his home. The loot: a set of handcuffs.

RUSSIAN PREDICTS ROCKET TO MOON WITHIN 2 YEARS

LONDON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The Moscow radio broadcast today a prediction by a Soviet scientist that the Soviet Union will send a rocket to the moon within the next 18 to 24 months.

Prof. K. Stanyukovich of the Soviet Commission for Interplanetary Travel said the necessary velocity to escape the earth's gravitation, about seven miles a second, can be achieved by adding one or two stages to present ballistic rockets.

The two Soviet Sputniks now circling the earth were launched at a velocity of about five miles a second.

Stanyukovich wrote in a magazine article quoted in the broadcast that the first moon rockets probably will carry a powerful explosive to create a

flare on the moon's surface that could be seen from the earth.

I.G. FARBER MAY PAY 11,000 SURVIVORS OF AUSCHWITZ

WARSAW, Dec. 17 (AP)—Surviving former political prisoners of the Nazi horror camp at Auschwitz who did slave labor for the I. G. Farben chemical works may get compensation from the former German cartel.

More than 4,500,000 prisoners are believed to have perished in the camp in World War II.

The International Auschwitz Committee said yesterday it is claiming compensation for 11,000 surviving former prisoners and relatives of 800 known victims of the camp's gas chambers. Agreement in principle has been reached for the firm to pay 30,000,000 German marks compensation. Its distribution still has to be decided.

NEHRU DECLARES EISENHOWER'S AIM IS LIKE BULGANIN'S

NEW DELHI, Dec. 17 (AP)—Prime Minister Nehru today commended a part of President Eisenhower's NATO speech as "pregnant, very right words" and said the same approach should be extended to the cold war.

Initiating a foreign affairs debate in the lower house of parliament, Nehru said, "I

earnestly hope the NATO deliberations will lead to a peaceful approach and not tend to continue old rivalries."

Nehru also cited a "basic, strong desire for peace" he said ran through the replies of both Mr. Eisenhower and Soviet Premier Bulganin to his own appeal for an end to nuclear weapon tests. Mr. Eisenhower said the tests could be

halted only as part of a safeguarded disarmament agreement. Bulganin proposed that the United States, Britain and Russia agree to hold no more

after Jan. 1. Nehru commented on "how much there is in common in their replies although they criticize each other."

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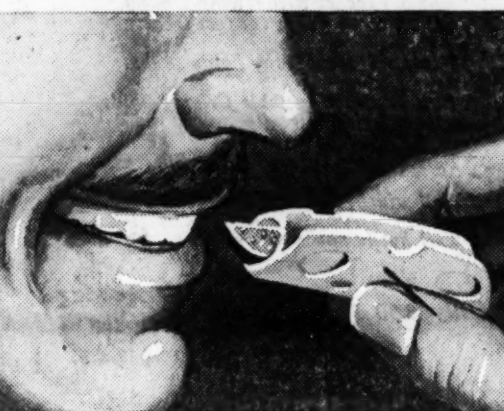
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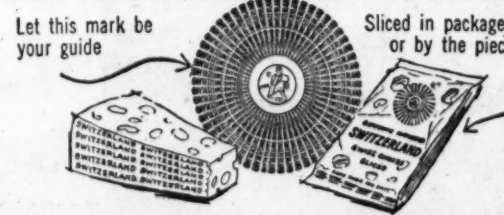
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MERAMEC TO BE NEAR FLOOD STAGE BY END OF WEEK

Heavy rains in Missouri last night and yesterday will cause the Meramec river to approach flood stage at Valley Park in the next several days, Meteorologist George N. Brancato said today.

Rains have resulted in filling some streams in the Meramec basin, and as a preliminary estimate, Brancato said, even with no additional rainfall the Meramec will approach flood stage of 16 feet on Friday or Saturday. There should be no major flooding, however, Brancato added.

Rainfall in the St. Louis area yesterday and last night was .82 inches, bringing the total for the year to 50.98 inches. This figure represents the second largest rainfall since 1900, surpassed only by the 1946 total of 57.12 inches.

COLOMBIAN WILL OVERSEE ISRAEL-JORDAN AGREEMENT

The New York Herald Tribune Post-Dispatch, Special Dispatch.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Dec. 17—Ambassador Francisco Urrutia Holguin, of Colombia, was named by Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold yesterday to act as his personal representative in negotiations with Israel and Jordan for full implementation of the 1948 agreement for demilitarization of the Mount Scopus area, an Israeli enclave inside Jordanian territory.

Mount Scopus became a serious trouble spot in the Middle East early this month when Jordan refused to allow Israeli supply convoys to transport gasoline to the settlement which overlooks the city of Jerusalem.

\$200,000 TO BE AVAILABLE FOR SEWER REPAIR WORK

An ordinance appropriating \$200,000 for emergency sewer repair work was approved yesterday by the board of trustees of the Metropolitan Sewer District.

Under terms of the ordinance, money will be placed in a special account from time to time so that funds will be available in event emergency repairs are needed as a result of extensive damage, such as that done by the rains and floods here last June. The ordinance sets the maximum expenditure for any one repair project at \$15,000, without following the customary practice of advertising for bids.

In other action, the board approved a contract of \$125,000 with Fred M. Luth & Sons Inc. for construction of the first section of a trunk sewer in the Creve Coeur-Frontenac subdistrict. The one-and-a-half-mile sewer will run parallel to the Missouri Pacific Railroad right-of-way east from Lindbergh boulevard.

IN BED, PHONES OFFICE TO REACH WIFE DOWNSTAIRS

DES MOINES, Ia. (AP)—Don A. Springer, Des Moines business man, was upstairs in bed with the flu. His wife was entertaining a women's group downstairs. His medicine time came, but he had none.

Not wanting to yell to his wife for it, he reached a nearby telephone and called his office. The office worker then called Mrs. Springer—and her husband got his medicine on time.

HIRED TO SURVEY COUNTY HISTORIC BUILDINGS

Robert Gordon Stewart, now with the National Parks Service in Philadelphia, has been employed by St. Louis county for a one-year period as architectural planning engineer to survey historic buildings in the county, Supervisor Luman F. Matthews said today.

Stewart, 26-years-old, was employed on recommendation

of the County Historic Buildings Commission with approval of the county's parks department. He has been working as architect on the Independence Hall site in Philadelphia, and before that on Appomattox Court House in Virginia.

Charles van Ravenswaay, commission chairman and director of the Missouri Historical Society, said Stewart would in-

spec county buildings that have historic importance and make recommendations as to which should be preserved.

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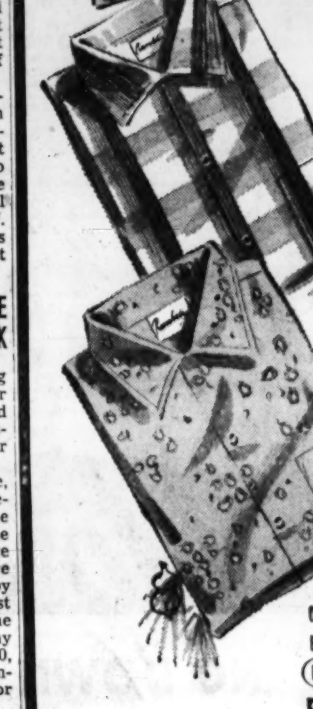
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Eisenhower

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which he said was the last time he had been privileged to wear his uniform in France. He went on in his extemporaneous remarks to tell about a sergeant who had served under the late Gen. George Patton. The sergeant, as Mr. Eisenhower told the story, had had trouble whipping his men into condition and finally reported to Patton that they were only "littered to be civilians."

"Now I must confess," the President went on, "that there is certain of that feeling in my heart today. After 40 years of wearing a uniform it would be strange if I felt quite as natural with my military cap as I did with my military cap. But I want to indulge for just a moment this feeling of homesickness, the fun of going and seeing some of the people of SHAPE, not because they are the same ones, because there are only a few left here of five years or so ago, but they are the same ones carrying the same mission, doing the same job that all of us here started in 1951, I believe it was."

The civilian hat the President wore was the same soft felt of a dark gray that he wore on his arrival, and he wore the same blue overcoat and blue and white scarf. After the ceremony outside, he went into the headquarters and talked briefly with the top commanders of a half dozen nations.

Accustomed to periods of vigorous relaxation, the President undoubtedly found yesterday's five-hour Council session confining. He had conferred before his visit to SHAPE today with Chancellor Adenauer of Germany and Premier Zoli of Italy. Tonight, with other heads of government, he will be the guest of President Coty of France at the Elysee Palace. The President's schedule is a crowded one that seems to ignore the fact that three weeks ago he suffered a mild stroke. Those close to him have said that it is the code of the soldier determined to go through with his obligations at whatever cost to himself, including the very real risk of his life, that made him determined to see through this heads of government conference that he had initiated at the time of Prime Minister Macmillan's visit to Washington in October.

Atlas Missile

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Jupiter and the Air Force Thor.

Atlas Firing Cheers People of Western Europe.

LONDON, Dec. 17 (UPI)—Successful firing of the Atlas missile sent a wave of cheer through Western Europe tonight and gave the United States its strongest card to date for a new rocket defense accord at the Paris NATO summit conference.

The news reached Europe—and particularly Paris—as the NATO alliance's chiefs of state were in their second working

session this afternoon.

It provided the United States with the best possible answer to growing European fears that the United States ability to defend its allies was falling behind the Soviet threat.

In London, Kenneth W. Galtland, vice chairman of the council of the British Interplanetary Society, said:

"It is a great achievement. We have been waiting for this for a long time. It means the United States is right in the field with the Soviet in the development of long-range missiles. This development will enable them to put larger satellites into the air."

Some diplomatic observers expressed the belief that the Defense Department had purposely timed a launching attempt to coincide with the NATO meeting.

They interpreted the success as a big boost for American hopes of gaining permission to station missiles in Europe, a key issue at Paris.

Segments of public opinion in some countries—notably Norway, Denmark and West Germany—had expressed fears that they would bear the brunt of any Soviet attack if they permitted missile bases on their territory before the United States could back them up with operational missiles.

SCHOOL SUSPENDS NEGRO STUDENT IN LITTLE ROCK

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 17 (INS)—One of the nine Negro students, a girl, in the integrated Little Rock Central High School was suspended today for three days by school Superintendent Virgil T. Blossom.

Blossom said the suspension was imposed because "the student involved spilled a bowl of chili on two white boys in the school cafeteria during the noon hour."

Blossom did not identify the girl but other students said she is Minnie Jean Brown.

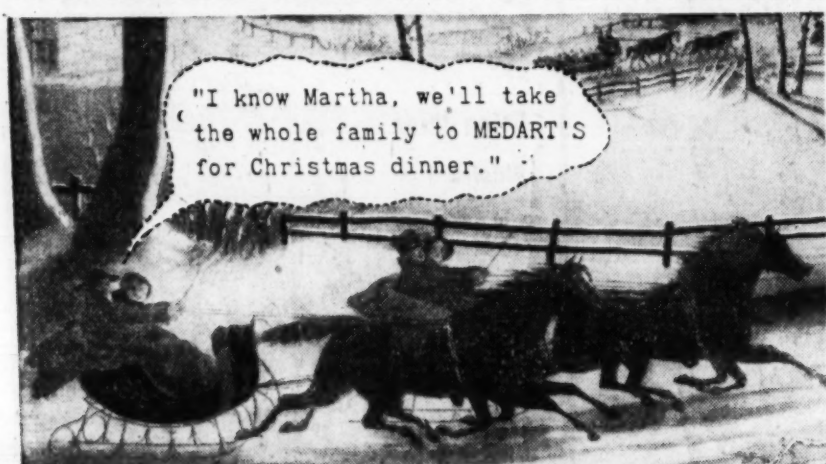
It was the first disciplinary action involving the Negro students at the school in more than three weeks. The last suspension was meted out to a white boy who allegedly was involved in a scuffle with a Negro boy.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—A statue of Billy Mitchell was unveiled today. Thirty-two years ago an Army court-martial suspended Col. Mitchell from rank and command. He had argued—publicly and heatedly—that the United States was mired in old-fashioned military methods while warfare was taking to the air.

Today—in a capital noisy with charges and counter-charges that America is fumbling the transition to space weapons—a bigger-than-life-size bronze figure of Mitchell in World War I flying gear went on display at the aeronautics hall of the Smithsonian Institution. The statue, by sculptor Bruce Moore, is the gift of George H. Stephenson of Philadelphia.

It was unveiled by Mitchell's son, William, who has been pressing for reversal of his father's 1925 court-martial conviction on charges of making statements prejudicial to good order and discipline.

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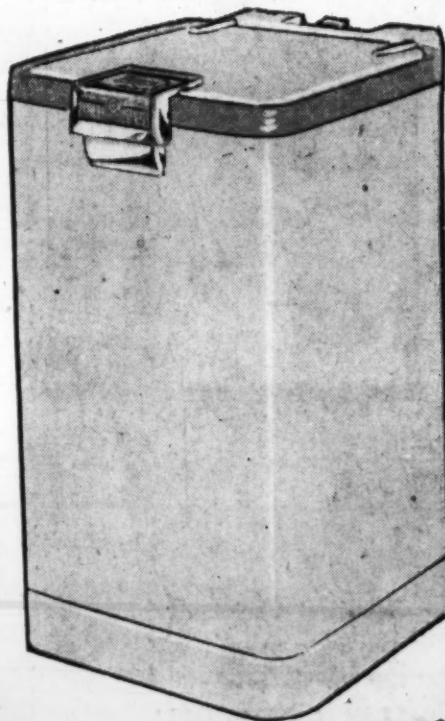
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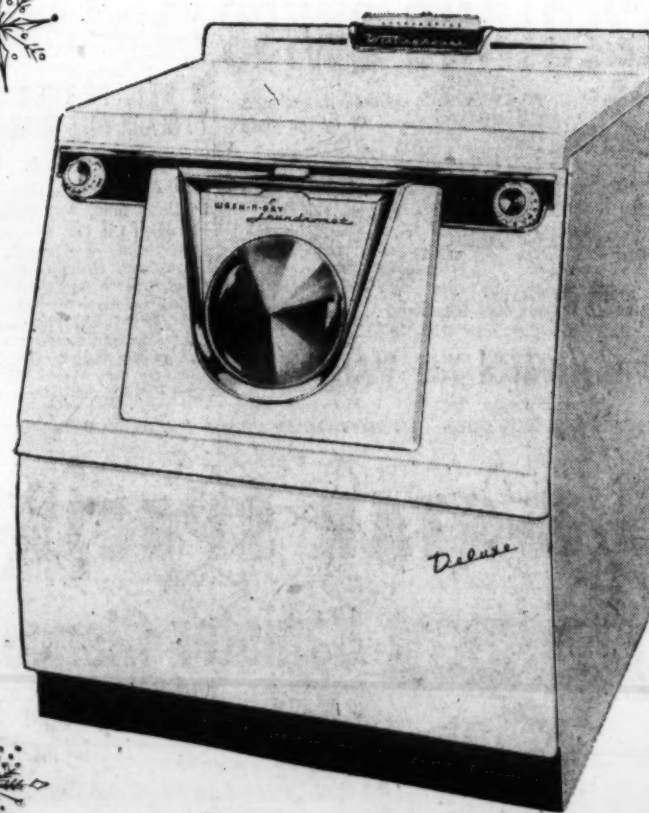
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NATO Session

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ate range missiles as soon as the NATO nations in which they would be deployed are ready to receive them."

3. Establishment of a NATO board of top scientists, engineers and production experts, subordinate to the NATO council. The board would recommend a suitable weapons system for production in Europe, what countries should produce what weapons, and decide markets for the weapons produced.

4. A continued United States contribution to NATO ground forces combined with a share-out of nuclear know-how "to permit confident and responsible use" of atomic weapons.

5. A promise to seek congressional authority to let the Government "co-operate with interested members of NATO in the development, production and fueling of nuclear propulsion and power plants for submarines and other military purposes. This action will also greatly facilitate co-operation in the promising field of nuclear merchant ship propulsion."

The sharp difference of approach between the United States and the European allies toward Europe's missile age security seems to have taken the United States somewhat by surprise. American officials had hoped for acceptance in principle of their plan to stockpile nuclear warheads and supply medium range missiles to NATO countries willing to accept them.

Mr. Eisenhower and Dulles, while not ruling out the principle of negotiation, think nothing would come of East-West talks in the foreseeable future. But they were told almost bluntly yesterday by European speakers that they must do something along that line.

Initiative by West Urged.

Both German Chancellor Adenauer and British Prime Minister Macmillan took the line that the West ought to take the initiative in its conflict with Russia—to seize upon any chance for agreement and, failing that, to expose Soviet peace propaganda as false.

The American delegation apparently was willing to accept some delay in its crash program for equipping Europe NATO with nuclear missiles if for no other reason than that the missiles won't be ready for a year or more.

Mr. Eisenhower and Chancellor Adenauer met privately this morning, with the 81-year-old chancellor's reluctance to plant missile bases on German soil the chief topic. The President also met with Premier Zoli of Italy during the morning.

Pressure for a new try at a settlement with the Russians promptly brought a high-level forecast of a new Big Four conference before the end of next year. The last was in August 1955, in Geneva. A ranking British diplomat predicted that Mr. Eisenhower will give cautious approval to a new attempt to end the arms race and to secure world peace in negotiations with the Kremlin.

Delegates of several nations stressed that the Western powers are unlikely to give an unconditional yes to Bulganin's bid for another east-west summit conference.

The United States is understood to oppose any new conference with Russia for the time being on the ground that Western powers would be negotiating from weakness at a time of strategic uncertainty.

Diplomatic sources quoted by the United Press said the situation was summarized by Prime Minister Macmillan when he said yesterday: "In Sir Winston Churchill's words: 'We arm to parley.' We shall not parley successfully unless we arm effectively."

Public pressure for a new attempt to halt the arms race is mounting in West Germany, Britain, Canada, the Scandinavian countries and some Asian states.

With varying degrees of

urgency, Adenauer, Macmillan, Bulganin, Gerhartsen of Norway, Premier Hansen of Denmark and Premier Diefenbaker of Canada said yesterday such talks might be possible.

In this situation, Mr. Eisenhower and Dulles found it difficult to uphold the label of propaganda which official American spokesmen habitually attach to such Russian proposals. European officials explained that it will prove politically easier for the European allies to take up the American offer of rocket bases in their lands after—rather than before—an attempt is made to come to terms with Moscow.

Adenauer was a top objector yesterday to Mr. Eisenhower's weapons offer, urging that any decision on such military problems be postponed at least until next spring.

Macmillan, whose country already is an independent nuclear power and has a missile base agreement with the United States, did not refer to the subject.

Eisenhower's Pledge. President Eisenhower, speaking personally before he turned the floor over to Dulles, told the delegates:

"I assure you in the most solemn terms that the United States would come, at once and with all appropriate force, to the assistance of any NATO nation subjected to armed attack."

"We should leave no stone unturned," he said, "in our search for an agreement that would end this appalling arms race and at the same time assure the security of the free world. We should be flexible within limits fixed by prudence and self-preservation."

The President deplored the continued division of Germany, and added:

"I should like to reiterate most solemnly our abiding determination that Germany shall be peacefully reunited in freedom. At the Geneva summit conference over two years ago this was formally and solemnly promised to us by Mr. Khrushchev and Mr. Bulganin. Unhappily, that promise has been repudiated at the cost of the international confidence which the Soviet rulers profess to desire."

Mr. Eisenhower promised to broaden political consultation within the alliance "within practical limits." This was an oblique reference to America's worldwide commitments which the government feels prevent it asking geographically-limited NATO about its actions in other parts of the world.

He further said the United States government will ask Congress to increase the development loan fund by \$25,000,000 from the present \$300,000,000; increase the lending authority of the Export-Import bank by an additional two billion dollars; increase participation in the United Nations technical assistance program and extend the reciprocal trade agreements legislation for five years.

"Together," said the President, "we of the free world will wage and win this struggle on the frontiers of human progress."

Canada's Prime Minister Die-

fenbaker said stockpiles of nuclear weapons would follow logically from earlier decisions to give NATO forces a "new look." He said, however, that the ballistic missile proposals were new, should be carefully studied and no decision made until after next spring's ministerial meeting.

He said the western powers should keep the door open in case the Soviet Union shows a serious desire to negotiate East-West problems. He said public opinion made this urgent.

French Premier Gaillard urged that NATO keep a close eye on events in other parts of the world where the Soviet Union is penetrating since, he said, "Fortress Europe is now outflanked at a time when the United States, for the first time in its history, is directly menaced."

"In these circumstances, our first duty is to reaffirm, with more force than ever before, our confidence in the Alliance and our unanimous determination to stand by the treaty in case of an attack on anyone of us."

Dutch Premier Drees indicated his country would go along with United States proposals and Italy's Premier Zoli also urged modern weapons for NATO members.

WASTE ASSAILED IN WEST GERMAN ARMS BUILDUP

By New York Times News Service

BONN, Dec. 17.—West Germany's rearmament program is afflicted with waste, careless administration and an overpaid bureaucracy, said a report of the Federal Accounting Office made public yesterday.

Disclosure of the sharply critical report while Chancellor Adenauer and Defense Minister Franz Josef Strauss are in Paris for the North Atlantic Treaty Organization conference caused intense irritation in government quarters.

The critical study was intended to be a confidential report to the Parliament. The Federal Accounting Office is a watchdog agency similar to the United States General Accounting Office.

"The rapid buildup of the Bundeswehr from the top down has led to top heaviness in the establishment of (administrative) offices," the report said. It criticized the practice of some officials of ordering private companies to proceed with munitions development work before "proper contracts."

KANSAS CITIAN NEW TRAINING SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGER

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 17.—Appointment of Samuel H. Feder of Kansas City, as business manager of the St. Louis State Training School was announced today by C. Rous Gallop, state director of health and welfare.

Feder, who has been business manager of the city hospitals of Kansas City, was selected from a list of eligibles submitted by the state personnel department for the civil service post. He succeeds James A. Fox, who resigned last summer following an audit report criticizing business operations of the institution.

A graduate of the University of Kansas, Feder specialized in hospital administration, receiving A.B. and B.S. degrees.

Malta Leader Back in Office. VALLETTA, Malta, Dec. 17 (AP)—Dom Mintoff, who resigned Saturday as Prime Minister of Malta, was back in office today. He told Gov. Sir Robert Laycock he had reconsidered and asked leave to withdraw his resignation. The governor agreed.

OBSERVING HANUKKAH RITE 100TH TIME IN 100 YEARS

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EVERETT, Mass., Dec. 17 (AP)—Herschel Bregman will perform a religious rite tonight for the 100th consecutive year when he lights the Hanukkah candle and reads the Hanukkah prayers.

He is 104 years old and lives with one of his 13 children. He lived in Russia under three

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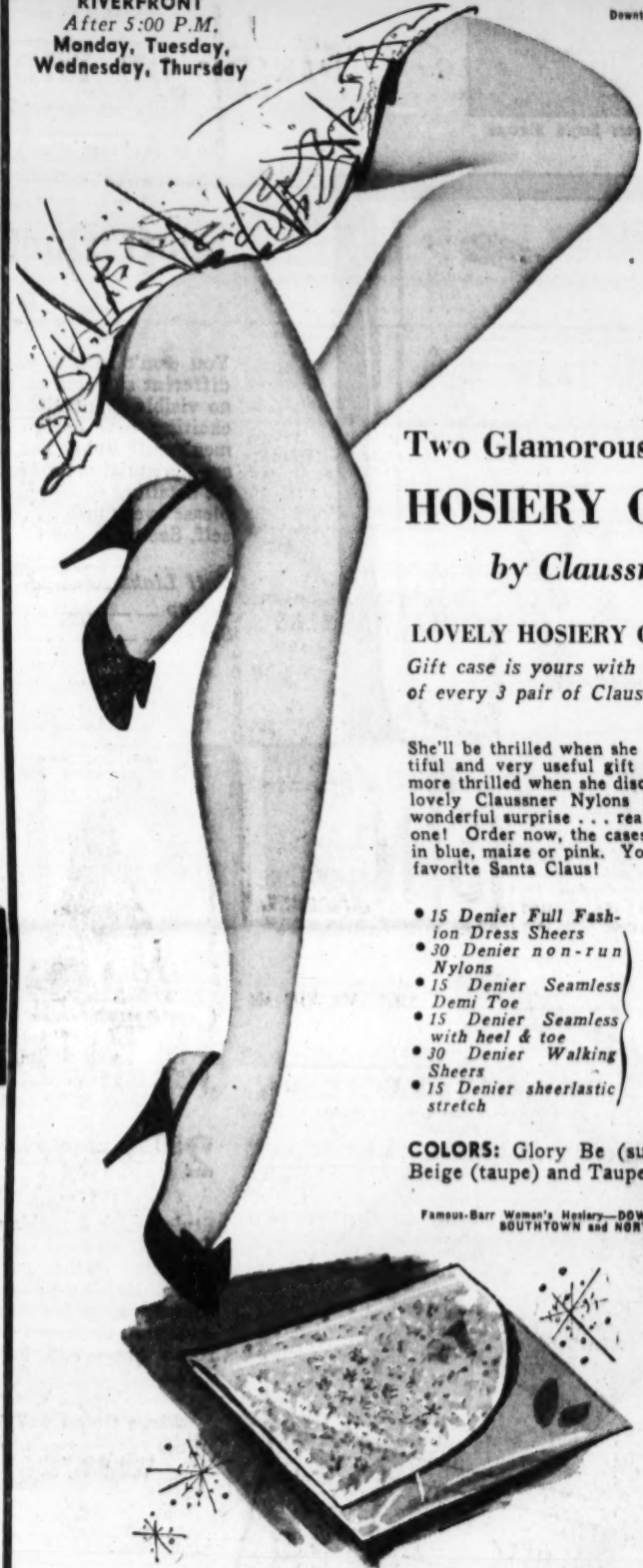


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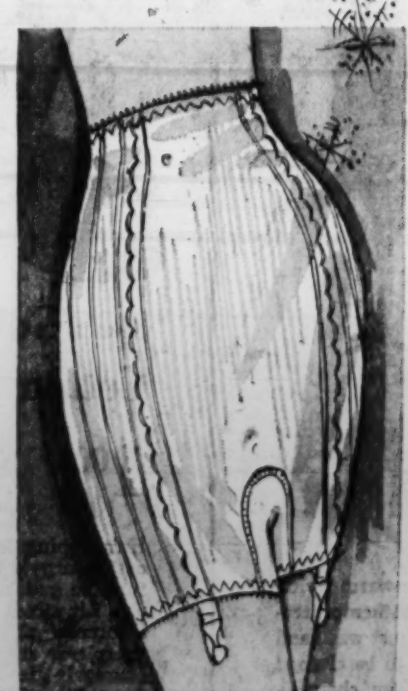
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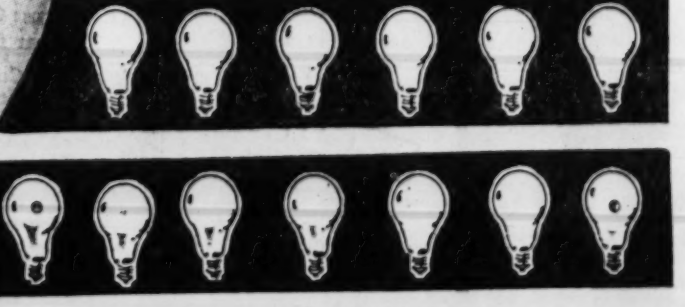
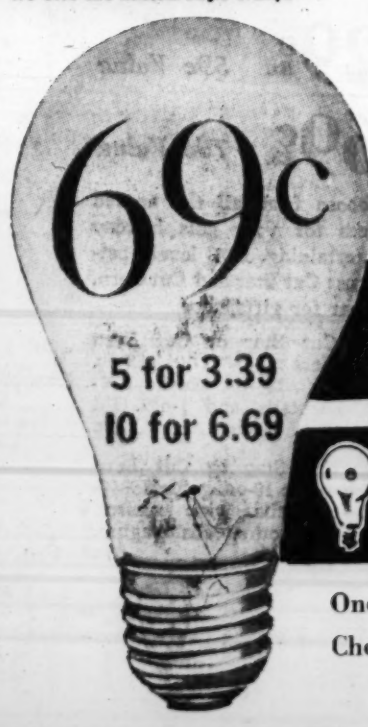


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VOTING MACHINE BIDS ARE OPENED; \$2,100,000 LOW

Bids to furnish 1200 voting machines for St. Louis were opened by the Board of Election Commissioners today, with an apparent low bid of \$2,100,000 being submitted by the Shoup Voting Machine Co. of New York.

The Shoup company offered to sell the machines, which are identical to those now being used in St. Louis county, at

\$1750 each. Its total bid was the exact amount of the \$2,100,000 bond funds available for purchase of the devices.

The only other bid was submitted by Automatic Voting Machine Corp. of Jamestown, N.Y., which offered to furnish the machines at a cost of \$1754 each, or a total of \$2,104,800.

Michael L. Galli, election board chairman, said the board would study the bids before deciding whether to award a contract. He said he did not know when the decision would be reached.

No Date for Use Set.
Galli also declined to say whether the machines would be placed in use in the primary and general elections next year, in event a contract is awarded and some or all of the 1200 voting machines are delivered.

Both the Shoup and the Automatic machines have 10 columns of 50 rows each for listing the names of candidates

or propositions. The main difference in design is that the ballot is arranged vertically on the Shoup machine and horizontally on the Automatic machine. Both can be operated electrically or manually.

In asking for bids, the election board pointed out that \$500,000 in bond issue funds is now available for purchase of voting machines, and that an additional \$1,000,000 would be available in 1958 and the remaining \$600,000 in 1959.

Delivery Dates.
The Shoup company agreed, if awarded the contract by Jan. 1, to deliver 282 machines by next Feb. 1, 565 additional machines by next June 1, and the other 353 machines on request of the board after next July 1 and before May 1, 1959.

The Automatic firm offered to deliver 855 machines between next May 1 and July 1, and the other 345 machines after Jan. 1, 1959.

Both firms agreed to train election board employees in the

operation and maintenance of the machines, and to assist in an education program for voters.

Funds for purchase of the voting machines, including \$175,000 for a storage building, were voted as part of the \$110,639,000 civic improvement bond issue of 1955. Acquisition of the machines had been delayed because of a dispute among former election board members on the manner of testing the products of the competing companies.

Conservatives Win Seat.
WHITEHORSE, Y.T., Dec. 17 (AP)—The Conservative government picked up another seat in Canada's Parliament yesterday with the election of Erik Nielsen to a seat he narrowly lost last June. A court threw out the first vote result because of irregularities. The Conservatives now hold 113 of the 265 seats in the House of Commons, nine more than the Liberals.



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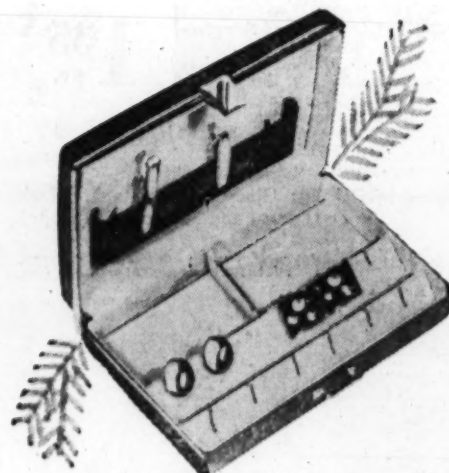
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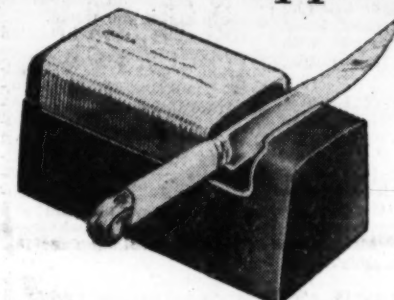
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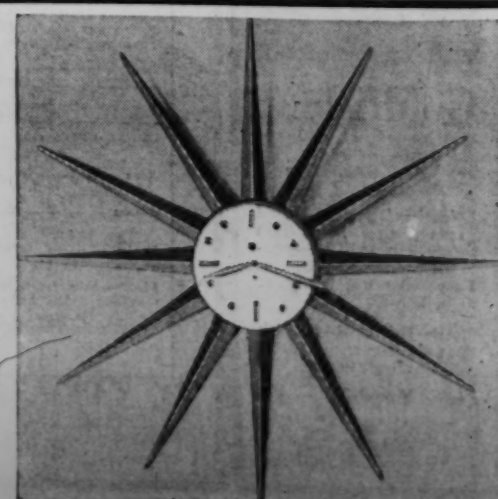
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 17—Intercontinental ballistic missiles will cost \$2,000,000 each once they are developed and start rolling off the production line.

This estimate was made yesterday by J. R. Dempsey, manager of the astronautics division of Convair division of General Dynamics Corp. and director of Convair's program to develop the Atlas I.C.B.M. for the Air Force.

Dempsey said the Atlas, designed as a military weapon to launch a thermonuclear warhead 5500 miles, would be able to launch earth satellites weighing 500 to a few thousand pounds. He predicted that the Defense Department shortly would issue orders giving a satellite launching assignment to the Atlas missile.

Dempsey was one of a panel of industrial experts discussing missile developments at a missile information conference arranged by the Air Force Association.

Bomber Costs \$8,000,000. The \$2,000,000 estimate did not include the thermonuclear warhead or the extensive and costly base facilities needed to maintain and launch the missiles. In contrast, the B-52 jet bomber costs \$8,000,000.

Dempsey estimated that the intermediate range ballistic missiles, which will have a range of 1500 miles, would cost \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 each to produce.

The all-day seminar touched on various aspects of missile developments. With Dempsey on the panel were George P. Sutton, a rocket engineer with Rocketdyne division of North American Aviation, Inc.; Morton Price, a guidance expert with A. C. Electronic division of General Motors Corp.; Dr. Arthur V. Kantrowitz, vice president of Avco Manufacturing Co.; Peter J. Schenk, an electronic specialist with General Electric Co.; and George S. Trimble, vice president of the Glenn L. Martin Co.

Russian Rockets. In the discussion, the panel members made these other points:

1. The rockets which launched the Soviet satellites were estimated to have had a first stage with a thrust of 250,000 to 300,000 pounds, a 75,000-pound thrust second stage and a 10,000-pound thrust third stage. The Atlas missile is estimated to have a total thrust of about 350,000 pounds.

2. Sutton said the United States should start developing a rocket engine with a thrust of 500,000 to 1,000,000 pounds. Dr. Kantrowitz said that such a powerful engine was not needed, and that a combination of engines now under development could be used for space research.

Manned Space Flight. 3. Dr. Kantrowitz predicted Russia will achieve manned space flight in three years and the United States in five.

4. The Thor intermediate-range ballistic missile fired last week was the first United States missile successfully tested which contained its own guidance system.

5. The liquid-fueled ballistic missiles now being developed will take 15 to 30 minutes to prepare for launching once orders are received. It has been estimated that in the ballistic missile age there will be only a 15-minute warning time. As a result, the United States probably will have to develop defensive weapons with solid fuel which can be fired on a moment's notice.

Thunderbird Model Change. DETROIT, Dec. 17 (AP)—The last of the two-passenger Thunderbird models came off the production line at Ford Motor Co. yesterday. Early next year Ford will begin producing a four-passenger Thunderbird model. No more two-passenger models will be built.

RUSSIAN WRITER REGRETS HIS BOOK STIRRED TEMPEST

MOSCOW, Dec. 17 (AP)—Soviet writer Boris Pasternak says he is sorry about all the controversy made over the publication of his novel "Dr. Zhivago."

Pasternak, 67 years old, told Western correspondents in an interview he was not a politician and his book was not intended as a critique of the Soviet Union or its policies.

"It was not meant as a judgment, but as an attempt to catch the spirit of my age," Pasternak said.

Publication of the book, which pictures family life in Russia before and after the revolution, has long been delayed here. It was published last month in Italy. The Italian version contains some comments regarded as anti-Marxist.

Pasternak's meeting with the reporters at his home in a Soviet writers colony, near Moscow, was arranged by the official Soviet state committee for cultural relations with foreign countries.

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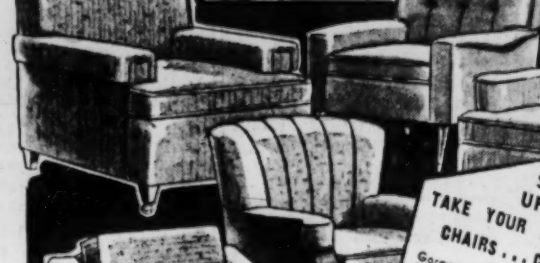
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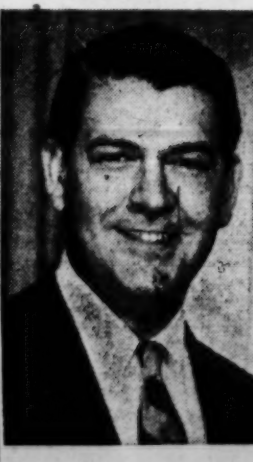
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SHARP PRICE DECLINES MARK FURTHER BROAD- SETBACK TO STOCK LIST

By ELMER C. WALZER
United Press Financial Editor.

BEAR MARKET LOWS for steel and some of the automobile, wide declines in metals and new selling in rails marked a more active, lower session on the stock market today.

Tax selling increased as the time drew short for that type of trading. All sections of the market were hit by the decline which ranged to more than 5 points a share in some of the more volatile issues. Metals lost up to 3 1/2 points. Metals the same, Douglas, off more than 4, led the aircrafts lower. Rail losses ranged to more than a point. Kennecott, Glee Oil fell 3 and several other issues were down 1 to more than 2 points.

Dow-Jones average of 30 industrial stocks was 7.75 points lower at 425.65 the close. The 20 rails dropped 1.83 to 96.05 and the 15 utilities lost .87 of a point at 67.30.

Standard & Poor's average of 500 stocks was 70 of a point lower at 34.42 the close. The 42 industrials lost .42, the 25 rails dropped .48 to 20.97 and the 15 utilities declined .33 to 41.49.

Chemicals sagged with their usual losses running to more than 2 points. Declines came into building issues, farm implements, office equipment, shipbuilders, and miscellaneous issues. Goodrich ran counter to the trend in its section and gained nearly 2 points.

At the low, the market was within touching distance of the lows set on Oct. 22.

The market held fairly well in the early trading. It had a brief moment of strength when the defense department announced it has successfully fired an atomic intercontinental ballistic missile. But the decline soon resumed with the momentum rising as the close approached.

Steel, automobile, copper, and miscellaneous issues set new lows for the year and longer. Oil issues resisted pressure for a time but finally succumbed with Standard Oil (N. J.) leading the market in turnover.

Other actives included Bethlehem Steel, General Motors, General Dynamics, Chrysler, Aluminum and U. S. Steel.

Railroad issues followed the industrials down and the utilities had small net loss. At the day's low the industrials were within about 10 points of the 1957 low set on Oct. 22.

The Associated Press reported that the market was lower at the start and the ticker tape lagged for three minutes in the opening burst of selling. Considerable tax loss sales and switching into bonds and "defensive" stocks was reported. Government bonds went to new highs.

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U. S. TREASURY STATEMENT
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*Includes \$438,915,614.84 debt not subject to statutory limit.

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U.S. Economy Today

STATE-FEDERAL SPENDING GAP NARROWS

By Sam Dawson

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP).—STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS are fast narrowing the still wide gap today between their spending and that of the Federal Government. The expected increase next year in this outpouring of money into the economy is counted upon to help offset the decline in industry.

More than 36 billion dollars will be spent next year for goods and services by the 48 states and their many subdivisions. That will absorb some eight percent of the nation's total output. The Federal Government is expected to spend about 73 billion dollars as a further assist.

A lot together cushion the taxpayers are putting under the economy, if that's any consolation to them. Spending by the state and local governments has doubled since 1949 and is 4 1/2 times the pre-war total.

THE NORTHERN TRUST CO. of Chicago notes in its December comment on business: "The popular demand for more or better public services, to all appearances, continues unabated. The rapidly rising school-age population, the continued expansion in housing, the growth in number of cars on the road and the gradual spread of suburbia, metropolitan neighborhoods—all point to further increases in demands on state-local resources."

THESE GOVERNMENTS are also shouldering a larger share of public good programs. The tax foundation, a research organization, says that in fiscal 1956 they matched the Federal Government's contribution of a billion and a half dollars. Federal funds are spent for such state operated programs as:

—Old age assistance, aid to dependent children, aid to the blind, and permanently disabled, and include state-local general assistance. These federal funds are now only two-thirds as great as they were in the depression, while state-local spending on these programs has risen from \$624,000,000 then to \$1,500,000,000 now. To raise the 36 billion dollars they'll spend next year, the state and local governments turn to many sources. At the local level the property tax is still the old reliable standby. States turn to sales and income taxes for a large share of their revenues.

BOTH ALSO TAP THE money market heavily. State and local debts have been rising by four to five billion dollars a year and now total 43 billion dollars. This is small compared to the 275 billion dollars that the Federal Government owes, but it is no small burden either. The total state-local debt is now three times what it was 10 years ago. As interest charges have been rising in the last two years, the cost of carrying this state and local debt has added another twist to the rack on which the taxpayer finds himself.

THE NORTHERN TRUST notes: "To date, governments have found the necessary revenues and, despite frequently heard complaints about property and other tax bills, voters have continued to approve the vast majority of new bond issues submitted to them." The bank sees as yet no sign of revolt by taxpayers, nor any marked slowing in the long upturn in state and local government spending.

NO WOMEN — SO IT'S CARNATIONS FOR EISENHOWER

PARIS, Dec. 17 (AP).—France selected carnations today as the only possible floral decoration for President Rene Coty's stag dinner tonight for President Eisenhower.

"We have reached the conclusion," said a protocol official, "that the carnation is the only flower suitable for men."

Hence, red, white and pink carnations will grace the great table at the first womanless formal dinner in the history of the president's residence, the Elysee Palace.

The official reason for barring women was that Mrs. Eisenhower is not in Paris.

French protocol calls for tail coats. Mr. Eisenhower brought his, but several NATO delegates let it be known that they hadn't.

The main dish is pleasant. Planners of the menu diplomatically omitted grapefruit. America's Sputnik that failed is known widely in France as the grapefruit.

OBSERVERS OF AID SPENDING SOUGHT

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—Senator George A. Smathers said yesterday he would ask Congress to appoint observers in foreign posts to see how United States aid funds were being spent.

The Florida Democrat is on an inspection trip of Central America and the northern part of South America.

He said he had been "shocked" at conditions in Guatemala.

"Mr. Rubottom (Ambassador Roy R.) said we are on top of the Guatemala situation," Smathers said. "Well, I hope so."

Much of the millions the United States has spent in Guatemala "obviously has been wasted," he said. He contended that Congress had been kept in the dark on the true situation because it "had no eyes other than that of our embassy."

Smathers noted that all branches of the United States Government had observers abroad except the legislative.

Under his plan Congress would have permanent observers in an aid area who would not be under the State Department or embassies.

He said he expected much opposition from the State Department, and he doubted "that many embassies would take kindly to the idea." The diplomatic status of the observers would have to be worked out, he said.

His only basic task, he said, would be "to see how the money that is being provided by Congress is being spent."

The observers could inform Congress of political and economic movements within their areas when things were happening, he said. He complained that briefings given to Congressmen before their trips were sometimes weeks behind.

CITRUS FRUIT PRICES RISE AS RESULT OF COLD

Wholesale prices of Florida citrus fruits have increased here because of damage from cold in the southeast part of the nation, dealers reported yesterday.

The cost of a box of Florida oranges jumped as much as \$1 yesterday, bringing the average price to \$3.18. The anticipated shortage of Florida oranges caused California oranges to increase in price to \$4.25 a box, a rise of 25 cents.

Florida grapefruit were 50 cents to \$1 higher a box, and prices on tangerines were hiked as much as \$1 a box. Wholesale dealers felt that prices probably would not rise much higher.

As yet, chain store operators in the St. Louis area have reported little or no rise in the price of citrus fruits.

3 WARDS REDRAWN IN UNIVERSITY CITY

The three wards comprising University City were redistricted last night by the City Council by a vote of 6 to 1.

Acting on the recommendations of a special committee which had been studying the matter since last October, the council moved to bring about greater uniformity of voting populations in the three wards.

The First Ward was raised from 6630 registered voters to 8775. The Second was reduced from 9692 to 9639 while the Third dropped from 11,036 to 8944.

Councilman Morie B. Soule of the Third Ward cast the only dissenting vote, declaring the redistricting was unconstitutional and contrary to state statute.

The council also directed the drafting of an ordinance that would submit four amendments to the city charter to a vote of the people, probably next April.

The amendments, on which public hearings likely will be held, would change the name of the present council-at-large to mayor, permit the adoption of various codes by reference, enable the city to appeal from judgments of the city court and change the pay of councilmen from \$5 to \$10 a meeting with an annual maximum of \$600 instead of \$300.

CONGRESSMAN URGES INDIA TO ACCEPT U.S. FRIENDSHIP

NEW DELHI, Dec. 17 (AP).—United States Congressman Dalip Singh Saund, a native of India, told Parliament members last night "America's hand of friendship is stretched across the ocean—accept it in the same spirit in which it is offered."

"In the interest of democracy and peace in the world, the two greatest democracies—America and India—and the two greatest men of peace—President Eisenhower and Prime Minister Nehru—must come together," Saund said in a half-hour speech.

The California Democrat, who is making an extensive Asian tour, was cheered repeatedly. His audience included foreign diplomats and top government officials. In introducing the visitor, Parliament Speaker M. A. Ayyangar called Saund a "living link between India and the United States."

SERGEANT NAMED TO HEAD WHITE HOUSE POLICE FORCE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP).—U. E. Baughman, chief of the Secret Service, said today he had picked a sergeant, Ralph C. Stover, to head the 153-man White House uniformed police force. Stover got the job and the new rank of major as the "outstanding" man among 10 or 12 considered for the job, Baughman said.

The promotion of Stover will jump him over the heads of an inspector, a captain and five lieutenants on January 1 when he succeeds Maj. Hobart W. Francis, who is retiring for disability. Four of the bypassed officers are retiring soon.

Stover has been a White House policeman since 1940. The promotion means a jump in yearly base pay from \$936 to slightly more than \$900 for Stover, who is married and the father of three children.

17 MISSISSIPPI GLASS CO. MACHINISTS GO ON STRIKE

Seventeen machinists went on strike today at the Mississippi Glass Co., 110 Ferry street, in support of demands for wage increases and vacation benefits. About 360 other employees, members of the United Glass and Ceramics Workers' Union, went through the machinists' picket line.

Joseph Cointin, business agent of District 9, International Association of Machinists, said the union is seeking a wage increase from \$2.52 to \$2.75 an hour, the area rate for the type of work done.

The company has offered a 17-cent hourly wage increase for a contract that would run to May 1959. Paul L. Hershfield, president of the firm, said. A similar contract was accepted last Oct. 30 by the glass and ceramics workers. The company manufactures ornamental and wire flat glass.

WESLEY M'AFEE ELECTED ANHEUSER-BUSCH DIRECTOR

J. Wesley McAfee, president of Union Electric Co., was elected a director of Anheuser-Busch, Inc., yesterday, replacing Powell B. McHenry, president of General American Life Insurance Co., who was killed in an automobile accident recently in Washington.

McAfee also is a director of numerous other firms. He recently was elected president of the Edison Electric Institute of America.

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PRO-SEGREGATION AMENDMENT UP TO ALABAMA VOTE

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 17 (AP).—Alabama voters are deciding the fate of 25 proposed constitutional amendments today in a referendum high-lighted by a racial controversy.

An appeal for the defeat of an amendment which calls for the abolition of Macon county was issued by Negro leaders yesterday. Counties bordering on Macon, all of which have a white population majority, would absorb its population and land area under the proposed amendment.

Although Negroes, many of them college educated, outnumber white residents nearly 7-1 in Macon county, the whites have a large majority of the qualified voters in both the county and on a state-wide basis. The county seat, Tuskegee, is the site of the famed Negro school, Tuskegee Institute.

The amendment is presented as a means of offsetting threatened Negro control of the county. State Senator Sam Engelhardt, executive secretary of the segregationist Alabama Association of Citizens Councils, sponsored the measure.

The petition sets out that Lerman misrepresented to the plaintiffs both the terms imposed by the Greek government in connection with drilling rights and the amount of acreage on the island to which he and his company held petroleum rights.

The plaintiffs charged breach of contract in alleged failure by Lerman to furnish written evidence of approval by the Greek government of the drilling plans, as promised in an agreement between the plaintiffs and defendants dated Nov. 16, 1956.

The plaintiffs ask that 52 percent of the stock of American-Grecoan, supposed to have been deposited in escrow as security under the contract, be surrendered or, in the alternative, the contract be canceled.

Lerman and his company were enjoined by New York state authorities last October from selling securities for the oil venture on the ground the stock was worthless. Drilling was begun, the New York attorney general said, but abandoned after drillers went to 700 feet without results.

Lerman, who attended Washington University one year as a liberal arts student, is the son of Sol Lerman, 7128 Tulane avenue, University City.

BRITISH SUBMARINE COMES HOME; WAS AT SEA 8 YEARS

PORTSMOUTH, England, Dec. 17 (UPI).—Her Majesty's submarine Thorough came home today after 2791 days, and 126,000 miles and four crews. The first submarine to sail around the world, it is headed for the scrap heap. It is all worn out.

The veteran submarine docked with its 53 seamen and seven officers to the accompaniment of a blaring brass band and the cheers of relatives and naval personnel. Its last duty was to patrol the Malayan coast for Communist terrorists.

During its more than eight years away from home the Thorough underwent three crew changes. Its last skipper was Lt. Comdr. Richard Mason. Built in 1944, the Thorough has a proud record of 44 ships sunk by gunfire, more than 20 boarded or blown up and one sunk by torpedoes.

BRITAIN TO SKIP PAYMENT OF PART OF LOAN FROM U.S.

LONDON, Dec. 17 (AP).—Britain announced today it will skip payment of \$176,000,000 in installments on its postwar loans from the United States and Canada. The decision involved a total of \$187,200,000 due the United States and \$39,200,000 due Canada.

The announcement was made in writing to the House of Commons only an hour before Chancellor of the Exchequer Peter Thorneycroft set out for Paris to see United States Secretary of the Treasury Robert Anderson.

Treasury officials emphasized that Britain's gold and dollar position has improved markedly since the bank rate was raised to 7 per cent in September. However, they said it was still considered prudent to take advantage of loan provisions that allow deferment of the installments under certain circumstances.

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LINER LAUNCHED; BIGGEST SHIP TO BE BUILT ON GULF

PASCAGOULA, Miss., Dec. 17—The first major American passenger liner built for east coast South American service in more than 50 years was launched here yesterday.

The \$26,000,000 liner Brazil is the biggest ship ever built on the Gulf of Mexico. It will serve in Moore-McCormack Lines routes between New York and Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay. The vessel was christened by Mrs. Emmet J. McCormack, wife of the co-founder of the ship line.

Immediately adjacent to the building way just vacated by the Brazil was the partially completed hull of a sister ship the Argentina, which is expected to be launched next March.

PANAMA OFFICIAL WANTS MORE REVENUE FROM CANAL

PANAMA CITY, Dec. 17 (AP).—Deputy Foreign Minister Ernesto Castillero said last night that Panama does not receive its fair share of Panama canal revenues and sentiment is likely to grow for a 50 per cent share.

Castillero said Panama granted the United States use of the canal zone "for the specific purposes of maintenance, security, operation and protection of the canal" is on Panamanian territory.

The foreign ministry official told a student conference that as a partner with the United States in the canal, Panama is entitled to a larger portion of the revenues.

British M.P. Dies. SOUTHPORT, England, Dec. 17 (AP).—Lt. Col. Wentworth Schofield, conservative member of Parliament, died last night. He was 66 years old. In 1951 he was elected the Labour member for Rochdale. He was re-elected in 1955.

GERMAN GROUP, U.S. FIRM TO BUILD ATOMIC REACTORS

DUISBURG, Germany, Dec. 17 (INS).—A leading West German steel combine has joined forces with North American Aviation Inc., of Los Angeles, to manufacture nuclear reactors for peaceful utilization.

The German news agency DPA today quoted a spokesman for the company, Demag A.G. of Duisburg, as having reached an agreement with the Atomic International division of North American Aviation on forming a joint affiliate, Interatom, to handle the job.

This is the first international venture in Germany with the object of developing, designing and producing atomic reactors. Germans will be given specialist training in the United States.

PEACEMAKING FEAST HELD ON PALESTINE TRUCE LINE

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CHICAGO, Dec. 17 (AP).—Wheat and soybeans paced the futures markets today, moving upward on fairly good demand. All deliveries of soybeans were up a cent or more near the close, reflecting higher prices for vegetable oil and the purchase of 350,000 bushels of United States soybeans by Japan for shipment during February. Israel was expected to purchase quantities of cottonseed and soybean oil later today.

Steadiness in wheat was attributed to the sale of a million bushels of the hard grain to Pakistan and shipment of 110,000 bushels from Chicago to the Gulf by barge. Greece is expected to take about 3,000,000 bushels of wheat between Jan. 3 and Jan. 8.

Other Board of Trade grain futures were mostly steady. CHICAGO, Dec. 17 (AP).—Grain futures range:

High Low Close Prev. Close

CHICAGO WHEAT

Dec 219 219 219 219

Mar 220 220 220 220

May 214 214 214 214

July 211 211 211 211

Sept 210 210 210 210

CHICAGO CORN

Dec 116 116 116 116

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May 118 118 118 118

July 119 119 119 119

Sept 120 120 120 120

CHICAGO OATS

Dec 66 66 66 66

Mar 67 67 67 67

May 68 68 68 68

July 69 69 69 69

Sept 70 70 70 70

CHICAGO SOYBEANS

Dec 224 224 224 224

FUND QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP).—Quotations furnished by National Association of Security Dealers, Inc., which states they do not necessarily reflect actual transactions.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17 (AP).—Closing prices:

Attributed Fund

Am Business Shrs

Assoc Fund Trust

Auto Div Fund

Axe Houghton Fd A

Axe Houghton Fd B

Bullcock Fund

Canadian Fund

Colonial Fund

Comwell Investment

Comwell Inv Fund

Dividend Shares

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Energy Fund

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Group Sec Fund

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Dam 24 23.3 0.0

Dam 25 23.3 0.0

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La Salle 20 12.1 0.0

Havana 14 7.6 0.0

Beardstown 14 10.1 0.0

St. Charles 21 23.5 0.0

Alton pool 21 23.5 0.0

Tallwater 21 23.5 0.0

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NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP).—Early over-the-counter United States Government Treasury Bonds

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2 1/2-58 99.18 June Dec. 94.8

2 1/2-58-59 98.19 Dec. 94.8

Odd Lot Transactions.

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JAPAN TOLERANT OF DRINKERS WHO IMBIBE TOO MUCH

TOKYO, Dec. 17 (INS)—If you like a highball before dinner, after dinner or even before breakfast — you'll like Japan.

You can drink to your heart's content in this oriental nation and if the heady pleasures of the bottle cause deviation from your normal behavior no one will lift an eyebrow.

If you should get into an accident when drunk or commit a crime, the law will go easy on you because in Japan a man under the influence of intoxicants is not held responsible for his actions.

The Japanese are highly indulgent to those who have tipped too much and have reached the state of "honorable inebriety."

In Japan a person — especially a foreigner — can pin a feather in his wobbling cap if his friends must escort him home.

NEW COLORADO RIVER DAM TURNED OVER TO U.S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The Federal Reclamation Bureau will accept from the contractor today the recently completed Palo Verde diversion dam across the Colorado river near Blythe, Calif., and turn it over to the Palo Verde irrigation district for operation and maintenance.

The Palo Verde project completes the stairway of dams from Hoover dam to the Gulf of California. It will divert Colorado river water into the Palo Verde irrigation district's canal system to serve about 72,000 acres of land in Palo Verde valley.

MAILMEN CRACK REPORTERS

GREENFIELD, Mass., Dec. 17 (AP)—If Greenfield mail carriers look downcast, don't feel sorry for them. They asked for it.

Postmaster Clifford J. Akey informed selectmen that carriers had volunteered to report uneven or broken sidewalks while making their rounds.

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Carol A. Elmer — 4002 N. Ninth
William T. Clark — 4891 Margaretta
Mrs. Ruth J. Jenkins — 4051 Chouteau
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Dorothy M. Pruitt — 2137 School
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Frances L. Frix — 3937 N. Twentieth

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Beverly J. Fibberghin — 4545 Warne
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Salena V. Collins — 4425 Kimbark
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Mrs. Gladys R. Provost — 1429 S. Tenth
Jake Mason — 2009 Franklin
Sora A. Bruce — 1016 N. Fourteenth

BIRTHS RECORDED

Important to parents of children born in Greater St. Louis: If your names do not appear in the birth column within two weeks after the birth of your child, call the physician or midwife and insist the records be sent to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Room 10, Municipal Courts Building, St. Louis, or to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, 615 South Brentwood boulevard, Clayton, if your child was born in St. Louis county.

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W. and M. Robinson, 2734 Sheridan.
R. and M. Rundle, 4038 S. Iowa.
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C. and M. Sherrod Sr., 3115 School.
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W. and C. Parker, 1912 O'Fallon.

J. and C. Patrick, 4103 Nebraska.
F. and D. Pettit, St. Charles.
J. and G. Pfaff, 3251 Delor.
T. and A. Pickering, 3211 N. Newstead.
J. and B. Pore, 2143 O'Fallon.
H. and E. Pruma, 2141 Division.
W. and C. Proke, Imperial, Mo.
H. and L. Rawins, 4150A Find.
T. and D. Schrage, 922 Allen.
M. and V. Scott, 4008 Mayfield.
C. and M. Williams, 2918 Dickson.
R. and J. Whider, 2221 Collett.
R. and G. Yancey, East St. Louis.
R. and P. Yancey, 4636 Evans.
D. and B. Yeager, 2900 Henrietta.
S. and L. Yemm, 4165 Magnolia.

BURIAL PERMITS

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Daniel N. White, 39, 2500A S. Tenth.
Dred D. Smith, 68, 6003 Enright.
Mike Pappas, 60, 5853 Wabada.
Carl R. Porter, 44, Moline Acres.
Jack Nalley, 59, 221 S. Broadway.
William F. McSpadden, 61, 704 N. Kingshighway.
Marry E. Bryan, 86, 2726 Armand.
George Ling, 70, 5316 Easton.

Henry D. Lockwood, 48, Florissant.
Minnette Benedict, 86, 4382A Atkins.
Roy B. Linton, 61, 1472 Graham.
Raymond W. Thom, 52, 1434 Market.
Ezher Sommer, 52, 4388 Ouseola.
Hazel K. Ousley, 54, 4207 Hartford.
Minnie L. Rhoad, 77, 3512 Petalossi.
Emma C. Brewer, 83, 4116 Virginia.
Maurice J. Cleary, 66, Clayton.
Johnnie A. Green, 61, East St. Louis.
Jeannette A. Lashley, 44, 1424 Benton.
Mamie D. Jones, 50, 3838 Evans.
Frederick J. Helm, 71, 1440 Linton.
Margaret Bahr, 77, 1834 Park.
Guy C. Foreman, 69, 5638 Kingsbury.
Ernie McIntire, 38, 5870 Romaine.
Andrew W. Cork, 52, Leveley, Ill.
Robert Wood, 60, 2414 N. Taylor.
Elsie M. Vitt, 68, 3548 Crittenden.
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Julia C. Fischer, 71, 3921 Childress.
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EZRA TAFT BENSON

CAN HE CUT FOOD PRICES -without bankrupting the farmers?

Every year food prices go up. And every year billions of your tax dollars are poured into "parity," "farm price supports" and the "soil bank" to keep prices high! Is this fair? Is it necessary? In this week's Saturday Evening Post, you'll read the facts behind our complex and money-draining farm problem—and how Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson is trying to cure it. Whether you're a farmer, a homemaker battling a food budget, or just an oversqueezed taxpayer, you won't want to miss "The Miseries of Elder Benson."



Few men who manned or commanded the German U-boats survived the suicidal fight against Allied shipping in the North Atlantic. But one who did has come up with a novel that captures the agonizing suspense of this undersea warfare. It is a story that may well be the "All Quiet on the Western Front" of World War II. Shocking, but always authentic. It will soon be available in book form. Yet you can start reading it today—only in the Post. Don't miss "Death in the Deep" by former submariner Wolfgang Ott.



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Change in American Position At NATO Talks Is Attributed To Insistence of U.S. Allies

Adenauer, in Particular, Wants to Avoid Shutting Door on Possible Negotiations With Russia and to Postpone Missile Base Issue.

By MARQUIS W. CHILDS
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.
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PARIS, Dec. 17. — TO MANY OBSERVERS here it must seem that the American position at the North Atlantic Treaty Organization conference has undergone a sea change. In Washington, the firm bent was on missiles and missile bases; in Paris, it is on the peaceful intentions of the Atlantic alliance and the triumphs that can flow from strength in peace.

Members of the American delegation insist that this is merely a slight alteration in emphasis and no real change at all. But whether anyone is content to admit it, the influence of the other NATO partners determined to stop the brass talk about missiles and rockets is nevertheless evident.

America's partners, almost without exception, are content to dismiss the succession of Bulgarian notes as merely a repetition of the old state propaganda. They believe that, while it is obviously propaganda, against the background of nuclear destruction and America's technological lag, it has a powerful appeal. The suggestion coming from various sources, including Poland, of a denuclearized zone in Central Europe has real attraction.

Effect in West Germany.

What American policymakers apparently failed to realize in their "hold fast" fixation is the effect of all this in West Germany. Chancellor Adenauer has felt compelled to make friendly gestures toward Moscow expressing the hope that Soviet-German negotiations on a variety of frontier issues can be speeded up. What is more, in his opening speech at this conference he urged that the Americans and the Soviets talk to each other through the channels of diplomacy about the major differences separating them. At the same time, he gave it as his opinion that the Bulgarian note to the Bonn Government was more moderate in tone than those of the past and that every effort should be made to find out what might be the reality behind the Soviet protestations.

Knows What He Wants.

The shrewd, indomitable Adenauer, 14 years President Eisenhower's senior, is demonstrating that it is a good idea to know what you want when you come to one of these great international talkathons. Adenauer wanted to postpone the public decision on irrevocably agreeing to put missile bases in NATO territory. He talked to Secretary of State John Foster Dulles about this on his arrival in remarkably blunt language, pointing out that it was a little foolish to do so much boasting about where missiles were to go and what they were to do when you did not have the missiles.

The old Chancellor has come to Paris convinced that contact must be kept with the Russians even though this might seem to mean the bilateral Washington-Moscow conversations that Europe has dreaded as the two great nuclear powers plotting the future of the world. As Adenauer argued, surely if you can trust yourselves to the United States in preparations for war and defense you can trust her in trying to take a few steps toward peace.

Against Dulles View. This goes, of course, directly against Dulles's conviction that negotiation with the Soviets is futile. Whether the Chancellor has his way here, it is too early to say. The future of a divided Germany is thus, as so often in the past, to be the para-

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Tragic Note In President's NATO Speech

It Was Stirring but Not Bold Answer That World Awaited.

By JOSEPH ALSOP
PARIS.

THERE was something stirring and something tragic, too, in the President's efforts to breathe his own simple faith into the NATO conference of chiefs of state.

His very presence at the conference table was an act of courage. No one in the huge, ugly garishly lighted room could forget that this man had just suffered a mild stroke, after two terrible illnesses, in the past two years. Not a few at the round conference table also knew that he had all but defied his doctors to come to Paris.

The day before, there had been the arrival in the bitter cold, the graceful airport speech that warmed French hearts, and the long ride into the city with the President standing up in the open car, turning on his full glow for the waiting crowds. And now here he was, the President of the NATO states save only Salazar of Portugal — mustached, amiable old Josef Bech of Luxembourg who looks and is a survivor from the forgotten era of Aristide Briand; France's improbably youthful Felix Gaillard; the German Chancellor with his air of a durable snapping turtle, and all the rest.

Time Lost for Formality. Physically, the assembled statesmen were more than a little diminished by their setting, a graceless chamber like a large lecture hall in which everything had been sacrificed to the requirements of television. They were there, in the most literal sense, for the look of the thing, using time badly needed for grave decisions to make a public parade of their reunion. Yet even on so essentially formal an occasion, one could not help reflecting on the immense burden of human hopes and fears carried by these men.

Above all, one could not help reflecting on the President's burden. This first meeting of NATO chiefs of state was his own project, after all, sponsored by him much against the will of his cold, canny Secretary of State. Only the night before, Secretary Dulles had pallidly warned the American press to expect no great achievements at this extraordinary gathering which must

achieve great things or be remembered as a sorry failure. Could the President then somehow recreate Western unity and strength out of disunity and weakness, against all expectations? Was he, to put it bluntly, really put to the task?

Observer Mildly Shocked. For one seeing him for the first time in a year, his appearance was a little shocking. Under the bright lights his ruddy complexion saved him from looking as ghostly as the pale Prime Minister Macmillan. Yet the flesh of the cheeks and neck has fallen away, giving a new, strange emphasis to the high dome of the skull. And the old erectness had gone, too — until it was his turn to speak, Mr. Eisenhower sat as old men sit, asking no effort of the muscles to support the frame.

Yet when Luxembourg's Bech and France's Gaillard had made their neat and graceful opening speeches, as conventionalized as the movements in a ritual, there was a sudden change in this Eisenhower whom both had singled out to welcome as the acknowledged leader of the West. He straightened. He seemed to gather his forces. He gave his thanks for the welcome with an engaging, friendly ease. And he continued into his set speech with an impressive and determined vigor.

There were those who thought they noticed signs of the President's recent illness in his articulation, but to this reporter there seemed nothing abnormal in his manner of speaking, which has never been

At SHAPE Headquarters



—Associated Press Radiophoto. PRESIDENT EISENHOWER waves a greeting on arrival today at Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers in Europe, on outskirts of Paris, for visit with United States Gen. Lauris Norstad, commander of North Atlantic Treaty Organization forces. The President had met earlier with Italian Premier Adone Zoli and West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer.

very clear. There was the same old extraordinary power, too, the power central to the power of the man himself, to make the great, basic, plitudinous truths about freedom and decency and human dignity sound like truths newly discovered of burning, immediate import.

But this unhappily was not what was wanted — and here was the occasion's innate tragedy. None present in the room needed to be instructed in the enduring value, the power and creative force of human dignity and freedom. They were meeting anxiously together for the very reason that these things were now in danger. How to avoid the danger — that was the question the leader of the West was expected to answer, and to answer not only boldly but even in some detail.

But there was no such answer, beyond a passing reference to those now troubled subjects, atomic warheads and guided missiles, which only recalled the differences that these subjects have evoked. So the speech ended, with the plea to "press on to that peace, in freedom, which is our right heritage."

Prime Minister Macmillan and NATO Secretary Spaak turned to the President in smiling congratulation. But Western strength and Western unity had not been recreated. Nothing really had happened beyond another television show with the most grandiose cast the Western alliance could provide.

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White House Dealing With NATO on Own

Despite Bipartisan Talk, President Uses Old Staff System.

By DORIS FLEESON
WASHINGTON.

DESPITE the bipartisan skirmishing which preceded it, the Eisenhower Administration is handling the NATO conference strictly in its own name.

The group President Eisenhower takes into the discussions includes no advocates of crash programs or of long-range ground-breaking plans. Neither congressional nor eminent citizen opinion is represented. The principal concession to the apprehension aroused by the Sputnik is the presence of Dr. James R. Killian Jr., the President's scientific adviser.

Dr. Killian was appointed with great fanfare during the early days and duly provided with the appointments of high office. He then dropped from view, but his presence in Paris will quiet the questioning murmurs that were just beginning to be heard.

Running the Show. Thus it appears that a very important political decision was either taken on purpose or has somehow materialized out of the preliminary pulling and hauling here at home. It is that the Administration will run this show, sink or swim, on its own. No crisis mood is admitted.

The position reflects and possibly was inspired by the President's reported feeling that he must be able to do the NATO job if he is to remain President more than in name. It is typical of the man of action; and those friends and observers who argued that he should remain here, conserving his strength and thinking about the long pull, are temporarily silenced.

Meanwhile presidential aid Sherman Adams has unobtrusively riveted his copper-clad hold on the White House daily operations. It is now reported as "a safe bet" that Robert K. Gray, special White House assistant on patronage, will be

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All Signs Point to Khrushchev Continuing Role for Long Time

Hearst and Associates See No One Left Among Top Brass to Offer Serious Threat to Dictator.

William Randolph Hearst Jr., editor of the Hearst Newspapers, has just returned from a trip to Russia with two associates, reporter Bob Considine and Frank Conniff, national editor of the Hearst papers.

By WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST JR.
(With Bob Considine and Frank Conniff.)
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NEW YORK. IN ST. GEORGE'S HALL, of the Kremlin, a scene on the night of Nov. 7 threw a brilliant light on the Kremlin leadership. It was the formal party celebrating the fortieth anniversary of the October revolution.

Barricaded off at one end of the hall were the comrades who had reached the top. Members of the Russian Presidium and visiting notables like Mao Tse-tung of China, Gomułka of Poland and Kardelj of Yugoslavia were isolated from their less-successful comrades by security police.

When the time came for the party-elect to mingle with the common people, bouncing out in front of everyone else was the squat, compact form of Nikita Khrushchev. Strung out behind him in untidy file were Bulganin, Mikoyan, Voroshilov, and the lesser lights.

Nobody challenged Khrushchev's right to bask alone in the homage of the party minions. At first Khrushchev was only a few steps ahead. Then the distance increased to half a room. Finally, in this bizarre hand-shaking, girl-bussing tour, he was off by himself.

Suslov Close, But Discreet.

There was one, Mikhail Suslov, who managed to keep fairly close to the boss, but he was discreet. Perhaps he deserves mention because he is the new darling of the Russian experts. With Zhukov's collapse, the experts have switched to Suslov, a tall, bony, pince-nez man approaching 60, the "theoretician" of the party who supposedly advises on just how far the leaders can stray from the sainted teachings of Marx and Lenin without torturing the party line out of shape.

On the basis of our observations in Moscow we are convinced that Khrushchev will run the Communist machinery for a long time to come.

We think any policy that envisions strains between the party and governmental apparatus is wishful thinking. Under its present composition, the presidium should be fairly easy to control for an old pro like Khrushchev. There are no cagy, implacable veterans of the stature of Molotov, Malenkov and Kaganovich remaining to contest his sway.

Real Veterans Eliminated.

When he eliminated the Stalinist remnants in the "anti-party" purge last June, he took out with one swoop the group with the brains, the experience

Woman in Key Post Now.

Now let's consider the post which provided the leverage for both Stalin and Khrushchev in their rise to power — the position of First Secretary of the Moscow Communist party.

Is there a potential rival at Continued on Page 9, Col. 6.

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If your will provides substantial bequests for charity or for beneficiaries other than the members of your immediate family he may guard against the danger that such bequests would become too large a proportion of your estate in the event that its value should shrink drastically. He can do so by providing that in no event shall the total of such bequests exceed more than a stated percentage of your estate and in the event they do so they will be cut down pro rata and he can provide that such bequests will be eliminated entirely if your estate falls below a specified figure.

Although a skillful lawyer can draw your will in such a way that deaths or births in the family, changes in your financial circumstances or in the character of your assets will not require the will to be redrawn, it is none the less advisable to have

him review it periodically. Sometimes situations may arise that could not have been anticipated and for which no advance provision could have been made in the will. For example, in 1948 changes in the tax laws first permitted married people in certain cases to cut their estates in half for tax purposes. This provision which is still in the law has rendered many wills of married persons drawn before 1948 obsolete.

Your will should be drawn by your own lawyer. He can draw it in such a way that it seldom will need revision. But none the less it is advisable to review it with him periodically to be sure that circumstances have not changed in such a way as to make revision desirable.

Your will is not only a legal document but it is also a financial and business plan for the distribution of your assets and for their conservation and management. Our officers will be glad to confer with you about the financial, business and other non-legal aspects of your estate plan. They will gladly cooperate with your own lawyer. Come in at anytime to discuss your affairs in confidence and without obligation.

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MOSCOW, Dec. 17 (AP)—Soviet Communist party chief Nikita Khrushchev yesterday made his first public appearance since Dec. 6. He attended a luncheon given by Kremlin leaders for a visiting Syrian government delegation, the Soviet news agency Tass reported.

Khrushchev's absence from recent diplomatic and government receptions raised belief that he was directing meetings being held preliminary to a session of the Supreme Soviet opening Thursday.

Russians Claim New Discovery. LONDON, Dec. 17 (UPI)—Soviet scientists have discovered a method of obtaining rhenium from copper ores, the Moscow radio said today. Rhenium is a rare metallic element which produces extremely hard alloys.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Wishing Won't Make It So

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

So our State Department has rejected the latest Bulgarian letter and proposals as being "unacceptable" and containing nothing new, just as Mr. Dulles has so monotonously rejected every other Soviet letter or proposal before.

Granting that such have been unacceptable to our fixed and preconceived opinions of acceptability, what, might we ask ourselves, does such a sterile unimaginative policy of negation get us? And where do we go from here?

Does Mr. Dulles imagine that Russia will ever submit proposals wholly acceptable to us, or that she will ever accept our proposals (if we ever make any) without exceptions or alterations?

Isn't it about time we American people woke up and faced up to some hard facts?

Our Russian policy since World War II has been predicated on nothing more substantial than wishful thinking, urged on by capitalistic jealousy and religious hysteria. The wish was for the collapse of the Russian state and economy. It took the form of a policy of encirclement and isolation of the Russian state.

Our policy of encirclement now is in the process of coming apart at the seams, for our friends and allies have no desire to be on the receiving end and take the brunt of any nuclear war.

Every time Mr. Dulles so unceremoniously brushes off every proposal as being "unacceptable," and every conference as being "invisible" he frightens our friends and feeds the Soviet propaganda mill.

I hold no brief for Communism. I abhor its atheism and godlessness, but I shudder at the fate toward which our present policy of negation is leading us.

Isn't it about time we quit dreaming of Russia's collapse and start making arrangements for coexistence?

L. P. LOCKHART,
Greenville, Ill.

Where Was Mr. Truman?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Now that the public has become reconciled to the failure to launch a satellite, I am wondering if the palace guard has investigated to learn if Harry Truman was anywhere near the vicinity of Cape Canaveral recently? If he was, it would afford an opportunity to blame the whole mess on him. If this is impossible, will be the first error that has not been blamed on him or his Administration during the past five years.

MILES COLEMAN,
Elco, Ill.

'Too Often a Losing Cause'

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

The resignation of William Colby as City Director of Planning is truly a loss for St. Louis. Mr. Colby is more than a fine director—he is also a fine human being for whom no problem was too small to merit his attention.

He is possessed of a basic honesty and integrity which are not met with often these days. His is a tenacity of purpose which puts the common good above all. There was no compromise with what was good in favor of what was the easy way. And because he stood for the good, too often he faced a losing cause.

Here in our area of the city, the park which was Northampton and is now named to honor the memory of Rosalie Tilles would not exist if it had not been for the courage of William Colby who insisted that we needed this park for the good of the city and its people.

Those who were fortunate enough to know him and his work, know that he will be difficult to replace. St. Louis, faced with progress or decay, should weep. Certainly he deserves all the best which may lie ahead.

MRS. SOPHIE PAOLUCCI,
Secretary, Northampton Improvement Association.

The Fighter in Lon Hocker

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Having been in attendance at the recent Republican party dinner, I feel impelled to challenge the statements of Reader Millus in this column on Nov. 12.

First, with reference to the statements of Gov. Adams and Mr. Hocker concerning Mr. Symington, I think it is quite generally conceded amongst Republicans that Mr. Symington has built his prestige by his negative conduct, and certainly not by any positive accomplishments.

Second, there might be some doubt on any subject that cannot be proved because of various implications or complications surrounding the relationship of the Democratic party and the Teamsters union, but in the case of the Pentland vs. Napier election for State Senator, Mr. Hocker quoted statistics and material emanating from the Teamsters union itself.

Incidentally, Mr. Hocker distinguished himself with the vigor and directness of a fighter and bids fair to lead the Republican party to a new and better life in St. Louis and Missouri. Contrary to the critics, the meeting was charged with an undercurrent of enthusiasm and those present received an impetus from the program leaders, including Mr. Hocker, that should initiate a permanent program of lasting reconstruction for the G.O.P. of the Show-Me State.

ELMER B. KLIN,
Kirkwood.

The 100,000,000° Secret

A mysterious secrecy, recently pervaded with hints of friction between Great Britain and the United States, surrounds the free world's efforts to put atomic fusion to peaceful use.

Just where do the Western allies stand in "harnessing the H-bomb," as the project is popularly called?

The key problem is to create temperatures of 100,000,000 degrees Fahrenheit or over. Such a heat, up to 10 times as hot as the interior of the sun, is necessary to trigger the fusion reaction. But it will also melt—and gasify—any substance on earth. The task being followed, therefore, is to contain the heat in fields of magnetic force that will prevent it from heating to the melting point the glass bottle in which it is held.

Both the British, at their Harwell laboratories, and the United States, in its Project Sherwood, centered at Princeton University, are trying to produce heat of that intensity. It has never been produced by man except in the A-bomb, which accordingly is used to trigger the H-bomb. But scientists believe it theoretically possible in their glass tubes.

Last month the British Atomic Energy Authority reported progress. Later Prime Minister Macmillan said in a television speech that Britain was "well in the forefront" in this field. Then British newspapers declared the necessary high temperature had been achieved at Harwell but that announcement of that stupendous fact to the world was being prevented by the United States.

Now the chief of the American effort, Dr. Arthur E. Ruark of the AEC, just back from Harwell, denies that the United States is standing in the way of any announcement.

What does all this add up to?

First of all, it is obvious that neither the British nor our own people are being adequately informed, as they should be informed of everything about this project that would not adversely affect national security.

Second, the heavy secrecy, for which there is no apparent justification, is damaging Anglo-American relations, arousing suspicions that the United States wants to steal Britain's thunder.

Third, if fusion-range temperatures have been achieved, as several London newspapers report, it is a great scientific first. Electric power could then eventually be produced from an isotope of the hydrogen atom, abundant as the waters of the sea, instead of from scarce uranium ore. This would be potentially of enormous propaganda value for the West.

We think the United States Atomic Energy Commission owes it to the American people to tell them all it can about the progress of this hope-filled project. And if the breakthrough is British rather than American, surely we can take pride in that too.

From the Sphinx's Mouth

It is a comforting sign of progress that the old question about the zebra has been settled. Zebras are not dark-colored animals with light stripes. They are light-colored animals with dark stripes. The National Geographic Society reports scientists have definitely settled the fact.

The nice thing about progress is that, one thing becoming settled, it is then possible to move on to the next. We will confidently expect—and demand, if necessary—crash programs to carry science ever ahead and upward by further research to determine how old is Ann; how high is up; which comes first, the chicken or the egg; and where one's lap goes when one stands up.

Religious Census Abandoned

With the slightly lame-sounding excuse that it would make its counting job more difficult, the Census Bureau announces that it will not ask the American people about their church connections, if any, in its 1960 enumeration. Whatever may be thought of the excuse, the conclusion is a sound one. A man's religion is his own business, and it definitely is not the Government's business.

Some religious groups and religious leaders, along with certain organizations of sociologists, educators, business firms and research workers, asked for the statistics on church affiliation. Their desire, however worthy, is no excuse for governmental violation of personal privacy.

While the Census Bureau recognizes that "a considerable number of persons would be reluctant to answer such a question" in the census where the reply is mandatory, Robert W. Burgess, its director, insists that the Bureau may try to get the information later on through a national sample on a voluntary basis.

Obviously it would be less objectionable to have a Government agent ask the citizen a question on religious affiliation on a voluntary-answer basis, but it still would be an improper question. The original proposal was wrong not only because citizens could be required to answer or be punished, but because where church and state are constitutionally separate, the Government has no business concerning itself with church membership, through the compilation of statistics or in any other way.

Having followed the right course in eliminating the census question on religion, Mr. Burgess would do well to forget the voluntary sample as well. Let those who want a religious census take their own. It is their business, not the Government's.

All in the Family

"I was prepared to fire the first shot in World War III."

That is how a Navy carrier pilot described the situation during Sixth Fleet maneuvers off Turkey last September. An unidentified plane had been spotted over the maneuvers. When the snoopers reappeared, VADM. Charles R. Brown, according to the Associated Press, ordered missile-carrying Navy jets to shoot it down if necessary to prevent photography. The intruder escaped "to Communist Bulgaria."

This story, which created something of a sensation in September, has now come to its grand anti-climax. It turns out, according to Jack Anderson writing in Sunday's *Parade*, that the snooping on the Sixth Fleet was conducted not by the Russians but by the United States Air Force. The Air Force, Anderson writes, "tried to slip two B-47s through the fleet's security screen, hoping to catch the Navy off guard and score a propaganda hit in the interservice battle for defense dollars."

This is the kind of story which arouses indignation, apprehension and a sense of the ludicrous in about equal proportions. It is bad enough for our feuding military services to engage in childish rivalry on American soil, but infinitely worse to do so on the doorstep of the Communist world, where the slightest error might trigger uncontrollable circumstances. And how does it happen that the American people, after being scared by the reports of a mysteri-

ous intruder at the fleet exercises, were never told the truth until a magazine feature writer long afterwards dug it out?

As Nevil Shute recognized in "On the Beach," the modern world's nightmare is of a push-button nuclear war being touched off by mistake. The nightmare takes on several more degrees of horror at the thought of the mistake involving, not nations, but the rival services of one nation.

Items for Gov. Blair's Agenda

Mayor Tucker's legislative proposals to Gov. Blair spring directly from St. Louis's struggle for solvency. As such they enjoy the quality of immediacy that ought to assure their being included in the Governor's call for next month's special session of the Legislature.

The request for an earnings tax enabling act also has been formally endorsed by a near-unanimous Board of Aldermen. The need for vigorous action toward this end has been underscored in a detailed study of the city's financial condition by a bipartisan citizens' committee.

St. Louis must have the financial relief that would be afforded by a higher earnings tax, and must have it soon. Almost everybody agrees on that—including for once both Mr. Tucker and the Aldermen who usually are at odds with him.

The Mayor's six other recommendations for legislative action also relate directly to the city's immediate financial problem. Four of them deal with the state's failure to pay its rightful share of the cost of maintaining the sick, the indigent and the state's prisoners within the city.

Mr. Tucker estimates that the state ought to be paying some \$2,000,000 a year more than it is paying for these purposes. The city has had to fill the void. This is a heavy burden for the city to be carrying—especially when it is faced with so many other serious and costly municipal problems.

The Mayor also wants the Governor to ask the Legislature to pay St. Louis \$1,698,914 claimed due because of previous insufficient state appropriations for the care of indigent, insane and tubercular patients. The Governor once said that if the state owed this money it certainly would pay. He ought to give the Legislature a chance to examine the bill and pay up if the city can prove its case.

Mr. Tucker's sixth proposal would enable the state to take advantage of federal matching funds to pay for medical care of public assistance recipients.

In addition to the earnings tax proposal, the Aldermen want the state to pay a share of the cost of the state-controlled Police Department. If the Governor is disposed to pass this idea along to the Legislature, nobody in St. Louis is likely to object. But this is a field in which the city's case for state assistance is nowhere near so convincing as it is in the area of maintaining the sick and indigent.

St. Louis's financial needs are serious and growing worse. The Mayor's several recommendations for meeting them pass the special session tests of substance and immediacy. They merit inclusion on the Governor's agenda.

Father of the Dyer Act

Leonidas C. Dyer, Republican, who represented the downtown St. Louis district in the national House of Representatives for 22 years beginning in 1911, left his name on a law that has been of much help to the Federal Government in fighting crime that crosses state lines. He wrote and sponsored in 1919 the bill which became the Dyer Act—the law that makes it a federal offense to move a stolen automobile from one state to another. A year ago J. Edgar Hoover, director of the FBI, informed Mr. Dyer that 227,752 automobiles, valued at \$212,679,296, had been recovered under the Dyer Act and that 91,603 persons had been convicted of violating it.

This law was not Mr. Dyer's only contribution by any means. While he was not successful in winning passage for it, he performed a notable educational service in his long battle for an anti-lynching law. If he helped wage war on crime, he also believed in probation and parole, and will be recalled as a co-sponsor of the National Parole Act.

It would be possible to find fault with some items in the Dyer record, but on the whole it was a good one, and this city will do well to remember its compiler favorably.

Malcolm Muggeridge, the British editor who criticized Queen Elizabeth, complains of the reaction. It seems the British take a dimmer view of his criticism than he did of Her Majesty.

Why Not Now?

There is a tone of warm sincerity in President Eisenhower's reply to Indian Prime Minister Nehru's suggestion for an end of nuclear tests. As demonstrated by the Geneva conference, the desire to avert nuclear catastrophe has long been one of the President's intense preoccupations. Nevertheless, his cablegram is a refusal to halt American tests. As such, it must be disappointing especially to those nations which fear that they may become the innocent victims of "fall-out" scattered through the world's atmosphere by the Russians, the British and the Americans.

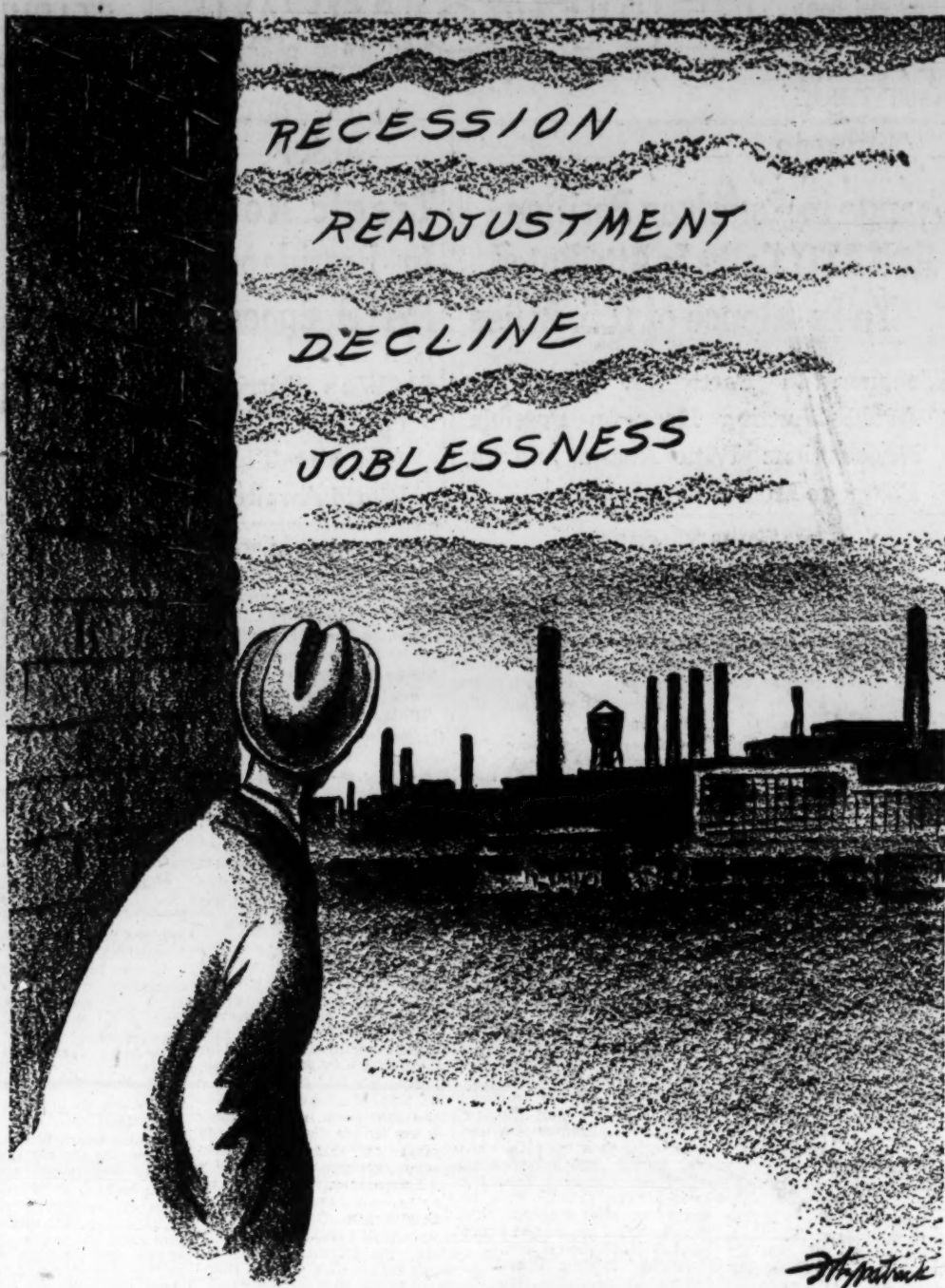
As justification for his refusal, the President again stated that an end to the testing and production of nuclear weapons cannot be a unilateral affair. He cited American efforts at the London disarmament talks to achieve a general agreement, and he expressed disappointment at the Russian failure to join in such an accord. The circumstances being as they are, the President said that the United States has no choice but to continue to produce and to improve weapons as a deterrent to war.

That it is out of the question for the United States to disarm itself or even weaken itself while any other nation continues the development of nuclear weapons must be understandable to Mr. Nehru. Yet the question is so serious that it commands further exploration. Americans—and Russians, too—cannot be happy about being exposed to the perils involved in the continued testing of weapons.

In so far as it does not weaken national defense, even unilateral avoidance of new tests should be considered. Indeed, there is some evidence that American testing has in fact been curtailed in order not to affront world opinion. But world opinion expects more. It expects an international agreement banning all super-bomb tests, policed by radiation monitoring which would permit violations to be instantly detected.

To that demand, it is not enough to reply that the United States will only agree to ban tests after a comprehensive disarmament treaty has been reached. Why not now?

While the Meatcutters' union settled for virtually what had been offered all along, it wasn't exactly the one who lost the strike. That would be the customers.



STRANGE NOISES JUST AROUND THE CORNER

Out of a Superiority Complex

Between Book Ends

The Mirror
of
Public Opinion

America's unjustified assumption of superiority toward Russia and others has backfired into serious world crisis, publisher says; urges better education, increased foreign aid, scientific co-operation with allies; increased budget necessary.

From an Address by John Cowles, President of the Minneapolis Star and Tribune

The international situation is much more serious than most people assume. Unless we decide to do a lot of things Americans are not yet convinced we must or should do. I don't think it is an exaggeration to say that the international picture is, or may shortly become, dangerously critical.

We Americans have made a great error in underestimating the speed of Russian industrial and scientific development. Our margin of superiority, our margin of national security, our very margin of survival if war comes, has been steadily shrinking.

Even if we do greatly step up our military research and development efforts—and I am convinced that we will—that will not by itself be enough to preserve permanently our margin of superiority, our national security.

Unless we also greatly improve our scientific training in this country at all educational levels—high school as well as college—and perhaps double the number of boys who become scientists, we won't be able permanently to maintain superiority over Russia.

A Decisive Point in History

The Soviet earth satellites, Sputniks I and II, will prove to be the luckiest things that could have happened to America if they have jarred us out of our complacency and overconfidence.

In describing the free world's peril, Harold Macmillan, the British Prime Minister, recently said that we are at one of the most decisive turning points in world history. I agree, and I think that one of the first things our Congress should do is to change our laws so that we can pool our defense and scientific knowledge with the British and Canadians and equip NATO forces with intermediate-range missiles and atomic artillery.

Because America has outstripped the rest of the world in assembly-line mass production, we have erroneously assumed that we have equal world superiority in abstract scientific brains. That simply isn't true.

We couldn't have made the atomic bomb without the help of Niels Bohr, the Dane; Fermi, the Italian; Szilard, the Hungarian, and many other foreign-born scientists in the United States, the father of the hydrogen bomb.

Slowly Losing the Cold War

The reason that we are as far along as we are in the cold war, even though we are behind the Russians, is largely because of two Germans, Werner von Braun and Wille Ley. Even before Sputnik, the international situation had, from our viewpoint, been steadily deteriorating. I do not think it is an exaggeration to say that we were slowly but steadily losing the cold war.

On the military side, things have been going badly with NATO. France is the heart of our NATO defense establishment, yet France is crumbling. It is in a political, economic, social and psychological crisis, the gravity of which it is difficult to exaggerate.

At the same time that things are going badly for us in Western Europe, we see the Middle East, South Asia and much of Africa in ferment.

In the last dozen years, a billion people—most of them with colored skins—who had lived for centuries under colonial rule and white imperial-

ism, have won their freedom. A score of new nations has been created. They all want and are determined to have higher standards of living.

If we don't help these struggling countries so that the people can see with their own eyes that progress along the lines of more education and more food and a better standard of living is being made, they will succumb to the blandishments offered them by the Communists.

For this reason, I think the United States for its own national security ought to spend substantially more money than we are currently spending in economic aid to these newly independent, underdeveloped nations.

The Tragedy of Little Rock

We must demonstrate to these people with brown and black and yellow skins that we of the free world genuinely believe that all human beings are equal in the eyes of God.

What Gov. Faubus has done in Little Rock is doubly tragic, because if we don't steadily reduce racial discrimination here at home, the colored peoples of the world will have less faith in us and the doctrines of freedom and democracy that we spread.

In addition to increased foreign economic aid, primarily in Asia, I believe we are going to have to increase our military budget substantially.

There is undoubtedly a lot of waste and duplication in our present defense setup. Back in 1948 I was a member of the original Hoover Commission task force on the national defense establishment and ever since I have been convinced that the Defense Department should be reorganized and the roles and missions of the three military services should be clarified and redefined. I hope that before long such a reorganization will take place.

Even if these savings from duplication and overlapping are made, however, I think our total defense expenditures will still have to be increased. I do not know how much, but possibly by several billion dollars a year.

Open Minds and New Times

We must step up our expenditures greatly not only for missile research and development but also for anti-missile missiles and for early warning defense against missiles. We need also to expand greatly our air-lift capacity to transport men and weapons quickly to any part of the world where a brush-fire war might start.

Of course, we want maximum economy in government, and we may be able to eliminate or reduce or postpone other expenditures, but I believe our total federal budget must be increased next year.

I agree with Prime Minister Macmillan that never has the Soviet threat been so great as it is now. It seems inescapable to me that we are probably going to have to live our lives in an atmosphere of grave peril for years ahead, until eventually we bring about a world of peace, based on world law.

Of course, if the Russians ever give evidence that they are willing to negotiate an overall world settlement that might lead to universal disarmament with outright controls, we should at all times be ready to talk.

If we are to be successful in eventually achieving a world of peace, we can accomplish it only if we keep our minds open to the realization that we are living in a revolutionary age, and that new times require new ideas.

ON NUCLEAR ENERGY, by Donald J. Hughes. (Harvard University Press, 263 pp., \$4.75.)

The dedication of this book tells how technical it is, "To Mother, This one is for you—it contains only two equations."

The fundamental equation is Einstein's mathematical expression for the relationship between matter and energy which was first demonstrated on an atom-by-atom basis in 1914. The process has the now familiar name of fission and is more precisely understood as the absorption of a neutron by a nucleus which splits the nucleus into two new nuclei.

The splitting event transforms a small amount of matter into energy. This process works best with very heavy atoms. Complementarily, fusion is the putting together of two nuclei which results in one larger nucleus and a release of energy and this works best with very light atoms.

The rapidity with which these events occur determines whether there is a destructive explosion or the release of constructive energy.

The book contains a good explanation of radiation activity, what, in general terms, the difference is between alpha, beta, and gamma rays, how X-ray therapy accomplishes the destruction of malignant growths in living tissues, how a Geiger-Muller counter works, how tracers are used in medicine and industry and other applications of constructive nuclear energy.

Heavy consideration in the book of how atomic energy will be harnessed to provide electric power indicates the extent to which this problem has already been explored. Several firms in this country are experimenting with different systems of using a controlled chain reaction to drive electric generators. Great Britain has moved further in this direction than any other country because of increasing concern over the limited supply and difficult availability of coal and oil as sources of power.

The tremendous energies of fission and fusion have never before succumbed to human control. If these energies are not regarded with sober responsibility and treated gingerly the little couplet, which sub-heads Chapter I, will come to pass, "And atomic energy, unless we ban it, will blow us right off this old planet."

This reader was disappointed with the inclusion of labored explanations of certain political activities of the Atomic Energy Commission. Extolling the political wisdom of the commission in an otherwise excellent discussion of nuclear energy tends to compromise the objectivity of the author and still fails to make a partisan of the power within the atom. It's weak cocktail riding and not on the same level with the rest of the book, the theme of which is in a quotation from A. H. Compton:

"... atomic power's eventual importance to mankind... can hardly be less than that of fire."

EDWARD S. RUCKER.

A Garland of Verses

COME HITHER, by Walter de la Mare. (Knopf, \$7.50.)

When the late Walter de la Mare first compiled this personal and highly individual anthology, he called it "a collection of rhymes and poems for children of all ages," and a more apposite description could hardly be imagined. Although I am all too far removed from childhood, I found myself being led from poem to poem, so felicitous is the selection. Most of the poems are short, some are familiar (though most are not), and in many instances de la Mare is there with his own word of explanation. The result is a garland of verses that should never lose its charm for young or old.

This good-looking new edition has been entirely re-set, with decoration, by Warren Chappell. It will make a delightful gift. JOHN BARKHAM.

THOMAS L. STOKES

Sputnik, Little Rock in Party Politics

PERHAPS NEVER BEFORE in our history, certainly not in this century, has a political issue zoomed up so quickly with such devastating effect against a President, Dwight D. Eisenhower, and a party, the Republican party, as in the case of what every schoolboy calls "sputnik."

From Maine to California, from Georgia to Washington, Democrats are united solidly on this one issue as not in years. It is a simple, pin-pointed issue affecting the most sensitive nerve of our national pride. It is like wise concentrated in one vulnerable figure, the President. This is because he has been billed as the man who could give us an "impregnable" defense due to his life-long career as a soldier. In the brief space in the two months since the first sputnik went aloft into space on Oct. 4, the Gallup Poll puts blame "on Eisenhower and the Republicans" at the top of the list.



Faubus

Blame Falls on Incumbents.

Followed by that are other factors, inter-sect rivalry, too little emphasis on scientists, congressional cutbacks, complacency, security leaks and, in last place, the Truman and Roosevelt Administrations.

What this points out, always with political issues, is that our public is inclined to make the Administration in power responsible for whatever is wrong and is little inclined to indulge in post-mortems.

It was so, for example, with the biggest political upheaval we had in this century—defeat of the Herbert Hoover Administration in 1932 on the depression issue. Nobody listened to however many explanations the Republicans had for what had happened—they were under the gun and on the spot.

It is so now with the lag behind the Russians.

What Will Happen in 1960?

The off-year 1958 congressional elections are less than a year ahead. The executive branch is in control of a party that is on the downslide.

And Congress is managed by the opposition party—the Democrats. So no one can possibly foresee anything else than continued control of the Democratic party in Congress, and by bigger margins than in 1954 and 1956.

Well and good, for 1958. But how about the 1960 presidential election?

One hint is the speech last week by a Southern Democratic Senator—Lester Hill of Alabama. He agrees 100 per-

cent with the northern wing of the Democratic party on the sputnik. Yes.

But alongside it, the Southern wing of the Democratic party puts the other issue—Little Rock. So Senator Hill then rolls it oratorically, thus: "I am conscious of the fact that this is a dark hour in our country's history, with federal troops in Little Rock and sputnik over our country."

Different a Year Ago.

"It is an hour ominous with dangers for us. With armed troops the President of the United States has invaded the soil of a sister state. He has spread disunity within the nation."

The Alabama Senator gives the cue for the whole South with his spread-eagle oratory, Confederate version. How far now the South has come in a year since the avalanche of Southern votes for President Eisenhower we find in the Hill screaming:

"Behind barred bayonets, he has oppressed free citizens and turned to the tactics of military despotism."

Nowhere, of course, does Senator Hill, nor do Southerners, even mention the Southern Governor who started the whole Little Rock furore—Orval Faubus—and made it impossible for the President of the United States to do anything else but enforce the law.

No Room for Compromise.

While the Democratic party stands united on the sputnik issue, we are reminded how terribly it is divided on the Little Rock issue and all this embraces.

How is it possible for the Southerners, much as they rant now against the President on Little Rock, to ever sit down in the 1960 national convention with the Northern Democrats? Northern Democrats and their Negro constituencies can't even speak the same language with the Southern Democrats. No compromise between the North and South seems possible.

Now while Senator Hill is talking to Alabama Young Democrats in their convention about segregation, a dozen Northern Democratic governors are creating a permanent organization to promote integration, including public school integration, and extension of civil rights.

Yes—1960 may be a different matter.

'SEPARATE TABLES' OPENS AT AMERICAN

Two-in-One Play One of Finest Works in Many Seasons.

By MYLES STANDISH

There is one theme that links the two short plays which make up "Separate Tables," which opened a week's run last night at the American Theater. Loneliness. And in both playwright Terence Rattigan treats his lonely people with penetration and great compassion. So that both works emerge as beautifully and delicately wrought glimpses into the human heart, tender and quite poignant in their rare insight. And both are illumined by some remarkable acting. This is one of the finest works in many seasons.

Both vignettes take place in the dining room and lounge of a drab and modestly priced seaside hotel in the south of England. They are further interrelated by the use of many of the same characters. The people whom Mr. Rattigan examines, with the exception of one buoyant young couple and the hotel manager, are the old, the weary or the misfit, who have taken refuge in this backwater.

The plays offer tours de force in contrasting personalities to Eric Portman, the English stage and screen star who appeared in both the highly successful London and New York productions, and Geraldine Page, the American actress who succeeded Margaret Leighton in the Broadway production. Both are so brilliantly successful it is actually hard to realize the leads in the two plays are being played by the same persons. But they offer far more than clever technique—they give us truth and understanding.

'Table by the Window.'

In the first, "Table by the Window," Mr. Portman is a bitter, taut and strong-minded exile from politics, a former Liverpool dock-worker who rose to a Labor ministry and fell from grace because of a jail sentence and scandal for striking his wife, and subsequently fighting a policeman in a fit of wild revolt against his enslavement by his love for her.

He is found eking out his life by hard drinking and his livelihood by hack magazine writing. Seeking him out of his refuge comes his former wife, a once-reigning fashion model, who has since gone through another divorce. Here we see Miss Page as svelte, brittle, beautiful, with a Mayfairish manner and accent, working skillfully and cruelly on her victim to bring him back.

But just as when the animation is turned off her face suddenly seems haggard, so it is revealed her spirit has grown haggard, too. She is 40, losing ground, lonely, bolstering herself with sleeping drugs—and afraid. There is a powerful second scene here in the clash between the two and a third scene all the more moving because of its reticence when the man discovers that his love-hate for this cold and calculating creature is warmed by pity.

"Table Number Seven." In the second play, "Table Number Seven," we see Mr. Portman as an amiable impos-

News Women at White House Tea



MRS. DWIGHT EISENHOWER at White House yesterday with MRS. GLADYS MONTGOMERY (left), president of the Women's National Press Club, and MRS. MARY HAYWORTH (right), president of the American Women's Newspaper Club. Mrs. Eisenhower entertained members of the two organizations at tea.

ter, "Major" Pollock, cruelly exposed before the other guests not only in his pretense of being a Sandhurst-educated war hero, but also of having pleaded guilty in court to making furtive advances to a woman in a movie house. He is the victim of the sadistic righteousness of an imperious dowager type, who, to bolster her own domineering ego and fear of a lonely old age, has smothered her daughter, (Miss Page) into a painfully shy, awkward and neurotic young woman whose only career is that of a stooge for her mother.

When the shamed "major" reveals his fright and loneliness to this plain, timid creature, caught in the same web, it is one of the most touching moments I have ever experienced in the theater. And equally moving is the denouement when "Major" Pollock faces up to his disgrace and finds most human beings can be understanding.

Peter Glenville has directed these plays with the sensitivity and perception the author has written into them. The supporting cast is excellent. Ann Shoemaker as the overbearing Mrs. Ralston-Bell has great authority. Beryl Messor is the civilized manageress, Catherine Proctor an impoverished and diffident noblewoman, William Podmore an ancient public school instructor living in the past, Laura Pierpont a hearty old-shoe type who has conquered loneliness through self-dependence, horse-race betting and spiritual seances, and Michael Lipton and Gwyda Don Howe the young couple who progress from defiant free-love to the most conventional domesticity in the two plays.

ANOTHER FORMER ESCORT OF MARGARET IS MARRIED

LONDON, Dec. 17 (UPI)—Christopher Loyd, another of Princess Margaret's former escorts, was married today to Joanna Smith-Bingham. He is 34 years old; she 22. Both were old friends of Margaret, but she could not attend the ceremony. The Princess visited a nursing home in suburban Kingston-on-Thames. Loyd's wedding left Billy Wankel, the only bachelor among the larger circle which once formed the "Margaret set."

CHRISTMAS DISPLAY OPENS SUNDAY AT JEWEL BOX

The annual Christmas display of the Jewel Box will be opened to the public Sunday at 9 a.m., Henry Ochs, city floriculturist announced today. The display will be open daily and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. through Jan. 5, Ochs said. In addition to the floral exhibit, a 15-foot Christmas tree with 200 lights will be included in the display, and Christmas music will be played.

SAMUEL I. CYTRON FUNERAL

Funeral services for Samuel I. Cytron, a partner in Ansell-Cytron Real Estate Co., will be at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow at Rindskopf undertaking establishment, 3216 Delmar boulevard. Burial will be in Chesed Shel Emeth Cemetery.

Mr. Cytron died of a heart ailment last night at his home, 740 Leland avenue, University City. He was 55 years old. Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Miss Carol Cytron and Miss Marsha Cytron; a son, Harold S. Cytron and two sisters and a brother.

CARDINAL ON VISIT TO G.I.'S

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—Cardinal Francis Spellman, Roman Catholic archbishop of New York, left yesterday on his annual Christmas visit to United States troops overseas. He will visit Alaska and the Far East first.

He will return by way of Southeast Asia and India, stopping off to see Pope Pius XII in Rome Jan. 15.

Tomorrow's Events

Film Program: "Altar Masterpieces"; Givenes 11:00; Washington University; 12:10 p.m.; public welcome.

Film Program: "This Is Pakistan," "Village of Spain" and "A Charles Dickens Christmas"; Soular Branch Library, 704 Lafayette avenue; 7 p.m.

Film Program: "Sun and Dust Mexico," and "Christmas in Sweden"; Cabanne Branch Library, 1106 Union boulevard; 7:30 p.m.

MRS. EISENHOWER ANNUAL SERENADE BY CAROLERS IN BUSINESS AREAS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17

(AP)—Mrs. Mamie Eisenhower, entertaining some 400 newspaper women's club members at tea yesterday, revealed she missed a broadcast of her husband's NATO speech because "nobody told me."

"I didn't hear it," she admitted to Miss Bertha Adkins, assistant chairman of the Republican National Committee, who told Mrs. Eisenhower she heard the President on the radio and "he sounded wonderful."

Mrs. Eisenhower replied "I didn't hear it... nobody told me." She added laughingly, "I'm so mad."

Gay and smiling, Mrs. Eisenhower stood in the White House Red Room in a Christmas red dress, matching the holiday decor, and shook hands with a long line of newspaperwomen and Washington socialites. Asked if she were sorry she had not gone to Paris, Mrs. Eisenhower said she was, but that she couldn't do everything, what with Christmas and other commitments.

DELOS C. JOHNS APPOINTED CURATOR OF MISSOURI U.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 17.—Appointment of Delos C. Johns, president of the St. Louis Federal Reserve Bank, as a member of the board of curators of the University of Missouri for a term ending Jan. 1, 1961, was announced yesterday by Gov. James T. Blair.

Johns succeeds Powell B. McHaney, president of General American Life Insurance Co., who was killed recently in a automobile accident in Washington.

Johns, who lives at 8121 Kingsbury boulevard, Clayton, was an attorney in Kansas City before going to St. Louis to assume the bank presidency. He is a graduate of the university and a Republican.

PRAISES NEW STYLE VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Father Hendel Says Enrollment at St. Teresa's Will Be Doubled.

St. Teresa Pre-Vocational School, designed for terminal education, has been so successful since it opened this semester that an additional 100 students will be admitted next school year to bring total enrollment to 200, the Rev. George D. Hendel, principal, said last night.

The school was inaugurated in the Archdiocesan Catholic High School system with emphasis on teaching practical liberal arts courses, since most students enrolled in the school are expected to enter commercial and vocational schools rather than college, Father Hendel said.

St. Teresa differs from regular vocational high schools because no manual arts courses are taught. Before the school was opened, similar instruction was carried on in rooms set aside at archdiocesan high schools. The program of study will be for two years.

The curriculum, Father Hendel said, includes communications—English and speech, social studies of citizenship and history, religion, arts and crafts and practical mathematics for everyday use.

An American flag was presented to the school, 2419 North Grand boulevard, by South St. Louis Memorial American Legion Post 37 last night. Following the ceremony, a panel discussion was held on the code proposed for parents of teen-agers by the St. Louis Archdiocesan Commission on Youth.

Moderator was the Rev. John Holland of Mercy High School. Other speakers were Mrs. Arthur Warmbold, secretary of the Archdiocesan P.T.A. Guild; Mrs. Vincent Horace, president of the guild, and the Rev. John S. Campbell, S.J., of St. Louis University High School.

The code, still in the tentative stage, covers about 55 topics, including dating, drinking and recreation. An archdiocesan commission group had been working for two years on the code as a guide for parents in directing the conduct of their children.

MRS. C. P. O'FALLON DIES, WIDOW OF PHILANTHROPIST

Mrs. Mary Goodbar O'Fallon, widow of Charles Pope O'Fallon, died today after a long illness at her home, 36 Glen Eagles drive, St. Louis Country Club grounds.

Survivors include two daughters of a previous marriage to the late John Overton III. They are Mrs. Elizabeth Overton Busch, divorced wife of August A. Busch Jr., and Mrs. Thomas Curtis Adams. Mr. O'Fallon, a prominent philanthropist and manager of the O'Fallon estate, died in 1926.

Funeral services will be at 2:30 p.m. Thursday at the family home. Interment will be private.

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NO SPOT IN INDUSTRY, LABOR FOR CHAPLAIN

Panel Agrees Union or Management Ministers Would Not Be Free.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—Three leaders of church, industry and labor concluded yesterday that churches should not appoint ministers as chaplains in either labor unions or industry.

Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, chairman of the Methodist Commission on Chaplains, said chaplains whose salaries would be paid either by labor or management would not be free. "We dare not identify the Gospel with any economic or political system," he said. "The Gospel stands in judgment on all economic systems."

Victor Reuther, manager of the Washington office of the United Auto Workers, said, "Such agents of the church inside the labor movement or working for management would arouse suspicion and resentment."

Leon E. Hickman, vice president and general counsel of the Aluminum Co. of America, Pittsburgh, Pa., said the position of churchmen in industrial plants or labor unions "becomes very equivocal."

"If they are paid by the church," Hickman said, "they must be free to speak their minds, and yet neither the industry to which they are assigned nor the labor unions can tolerate one within the organization who is not subject to organizational disciplines."

"In general, I believe a churchman's position is in a church," Hickman said. "There he has a privileged sanctuary where he may speak the Christian position as he sees it and his right to do so is respected even by those who disagree with him."

Bishop Oxnam, Reuther and Hickman stated their views in speeches before a two-day conference of Methodist lay and clerical leaders to consider the church's "responsibility for a ministry to industry."

WILLIAM M. RILEY, FORMER ST. LOUIS FIRE CAPTAIN, DIES

William M. Riley, former captain in the St. Louis Fire Department, died yesterday at Alton State Hospital. He had suffered a cerebral hemorrhage nine months ago.

Mr. Riley, 76 years old, joined the St. Louis department in 1909 after working for the old Salvage Corps here. He retired as a captain in 1929, last serving at a fire station house at Newstead and Duncan avenues. During World War II, he was fire chief at ordinance plants at Weldon Spring, Mo., and Ravenscroft, O. He retired in 1946.

Surviving are two sons, William P. Riley, with whom he lived at 1 Orchard drive, Belleville, and Robert P. Riley, of St. Louis. Funeral services will be Thursday at 9 a.m. at St. Roch Catholic Church, 6000 Waterman boulevard. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery.

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Boyer Signs, Indicates Slight Raise in Pay, No Cut in Morale

Cardinals Have His Sympathy On Deals

By Bob Broeg

Bing Devine smiled at Ken Boyer's frankness. Said the National League's most discussed player, "I told my wife I'd have made that deal if I'd have been the Cardinals."

Boyer, answering questions just after signing his 1958 contract at Busch Stadium today, had been asked his reactions to trades in which his name figured since the end of a '57 season that was delightful for the Cardinals as a team, disappointing for Boyer as an individual.

"I told my wife, that if I'd been the Cardinals, I'd have made that deal, the one with Philadelphia for Richie Ashburn and Harvey Haddix," said Boyer, and General Manager Devine, the man who didn't make the deal, smiled.

Boyer amended his forthright reply, however, to explain that he could see, though, why both Devine and Manager Fred Hutchinson were hesitant to take Ashburn and Haddix. "I believe," said the 26-year-old Southwest Missourian, "that there's a question about Harvey's back. Ashburn doesn't have a good throwing arm and there's no doubt that if he came, the Cardinals would have to face more left-handers again."

Nice Surprise.

Continuing to answer questions, Boyer, highly sought by National League competition despite a mediocre third major league season, said he was "pleasantly surprised" with contract terms, believed to call for a slight increase to about \$15,000.

"After all, I didn't come in here with any reason to argue," said the 6-2, 185-pound performer, whose average dropped 41 points to .265, his doubles declined from 30 to 18, homers from 26 to 19 and his RBIs from 98 to 62.

Devine interrupted. "No, but he didn't come in with any alibis, either, and I liked that. Actually, when you look at the average major league's offensive figures, Ken had a poor year only because of his potential. If he realizes that potential, it's true that he can succeed Stan Musial as the highest salaried Cardinal."

Boyer said he felt certain that Frank Lane, if he had remained general manager of the Cardinals, would have traded him, though he apparently forgot that the Cardinals' high command turned down the deal. Boyer mentioned Lane would have made—the one that would have brought Frank Thomas and Gene Freese from Pittsburgh in exchange for Boyer and Willard Schmidt.

Did the fiery Lane's public criticism, his impatience, have any effect on Boyer's play?

Soberly, Ken shook his head. "This is a game of mental pressure, all right," he said, "like that tough pennant race we had; but, no, I wasn't bothered by Lane or anybody else bothering me. I think that at that I have become too conscious of where I stand, how I hold my hands, whether my right elbow is out from the body instead of close to it, instead of just going up there to take my cuts as I did in the minor leagues. But I've got no excuse."

No Defense Alibi.

Defensively, Boyer said he didn't feel his fielding slump at third base, which he attributed to the Cardinals' center field needs to result in his position switch last May, had been tied in with his poor start at bat.

"If I lose confidence, I've lost everything," he said, "but I still believe I can play third base and through experience can play a better center field. I've got my goals—300, 100 RBIs and 25 to 30 home runs, a good total for a right-handed hitter in this park."

The brown-eyed second-oldest of the six Boyer brothers—and he's got six sisters—observed that in just three years the National League had changed character. "When I came up in '55," he said, "there were more left-handed pitchers and few top left-handed hitters. Now there are few left-handed pitchers and more good left-handed hitters. A right-handed hitter like me sees more right-handers."

Boyer, the tenth Cardinal to sign, the second since Devine became general manager, said he would be willing to remain in center field or return to third base, whichever Hutchinson decides in spring training the club needs most.

"I just wish," he said, "the park at St. Petersburg enabled me to work on rebounds, my biggest trouble in the outfield. With Terry Moore helping me, I think I've learned to judge the ball okay, but those ricochets bother me. I've got to play the walls better."

The National League's most discussed player obviously is determined not to be cussed as often in '58.

'M' Division Wins

Deep Freeze Game

McMURDO SOUND, Antarctica, Dec. 17 (UP)—When the men on "Operation Deep Freeze" play football, the penguins are a problem. "M" Division sailors from the icebreaker U.S.S. Glacier with the expedition here defeated the "S" Division team, 7-0, yesterday in a game played on the solid ice. The penguins held up the game many times by strutting onto the field. Spectators huddled around a fence.

A Question of Necessity



KEN BOYER (right), tucking away his 1958 signed contract, is as interested as the next one as General Manager BING DEVINE of the Cardinals takes eraser in hand, ready to rub off one of the positions listed behind the controversial player's name on the office blackboard at Busch Stadium. Like Manager Fred Hutchinson, however, Devine doesn't know whether the versatile Boyer will be on third base or in center field next season.

Loop's Top Scorers Meet As Hawks Seek Sixth in Row in Game With Pistons

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—The Hawks' point-happy basketball show tonight moves back to Madison Square Garden, where the St. Louis club will oppose the Detroit Pistons in the first half of a National Basketball Association doubleheader. Syracuse and New York play in the second game.

It was on the same Garden court that the Hawks started a five-game winning streak exactly a week ago when they defeated the Cincinnati Royals. Since then Alex Hannum's men have won games at Boston, Philadelphia, St. Louis and Minneapolis.

The Hawks have scored 135 points or more in three of their last four outings, including two victories over the New York Knickerbockers and one Sunday, 138-118, over the Lakers at Minneapolis.

In their 136-124 triumph over the Knicks at St. Louis last Saturday some 57 records were broken, most of them Kiel Auditorium or Hawk team standards.

Leading Scorers Meet.

The Hawks haven't scored less than 25 points a quarter since the first period of the Saturday TV contest, when they made 23 and trailed, 33-23. After that they just ran the Knicks off the court and continued the hot pace at Minneapolis, where they jumped ahead, 8-0, 32-16, and never were headed.

Bob Pettit, the league's No. 2 scorer with 679 points, has been well below his season's average of 26.1 in his last two starts. He made 23 Saturday against New York and only 17 at Minneapolis, but teammates have been taking up the slack. Cliff Hagan, for example, popped in 40 points in a torrid night at Minneapolis.

Hagan now has 492 points for an average of 18.9 a game that puts him eighth in the league. The leader is Detroit's George Yardley with a 28.6 average. He has made 686 points and played in two fewer games than Pettit.

In recent contests, one or more of the players with lower averages have come through with big performances and that has made for a balanced St. Louis attack. Two nights ago Jack McMahon, who had averaged only five points a game before week-end play, came through with 18 points, 12 in a mauling first quarter.

McMahon has been playing with painful bone spurs on his heels.

Severeid, Catcher in Browns' Twin No-Hitter, to Attend All-Star Baseball Night Here

Hank Severeid, oldest living member of the all-time all-star major league ball club recently selected by the St. Louis baseball writers, has accepted an invitation to attend the Jan. 20 dinner in the Gold Room of the Jefferson-Sheraton Hotel.

Severeid, 66 and residing in San Antonio, Tex., now is a scout for the Boston Red Sox. He caught 15 years in the major leagues, 11 with the Browns, and had a 289 lifetime batting average.

Tickets for the fiftieth anniversary writers' dinner are available at \$10 each by check or money order from St. Louis Chapter, B.B.W.A., P. O. Box 1004, St. Louis 1, Mo.

Severeid said his favorite recollection was the 1922 season in which the Browns batted before losing the pennant by one game. He also mentioned the distinction of having caught no-hit games pitched on successive days (May 5-6, 1917) by Bob Groom and Ernie Koob of the Browns.

Severeid recalled two thrilling games, one in 1922 when the Yankees still played at the Polo Grounds. The Browns trailed by a run in the ninth and two were out when Johnny Tobin grounded to shortstop for an apparent game-ending

N.B.A. Statistics

By the Associated Press.

WESTERN DIVISION			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	11	9	.556
Cincinnati	11	14	.441
Pittsburgh	9	15	.375
Minneapolis	5	19	.208

EASTERN DIVISION			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	13	11	.540
Syracuse	12	13	.480
New York	10	15	.400
Philadelphia	10	15	.400

TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE

St. Louis vs. Detroit at New York. Syracuse at New York.

WEDNESDAY'S SCHEDULE

Philadelphia at Minneapolis.

SCORING LEADERS

Player	Team	Pts.	Pct.	Avg.
Yardley, G.	Det.	228	330	68.6
Pettit, S.	Min.	219	341	64.2
Shannon, B.	Bos.	231	331	69.8
Levellier, C.	Min.	202	315	64.1
Schayes, S.	Syr.	190	302	62.9
Hagan, C.	St. L.	186	340	54.7
Russell, R.	Bos.	189	310	61.0
Jablon, P.	Phi.	154	271	56.8
Saults, N.	N.Y.	141	271	51.9
Ramsay, B.	Bos.	147	251	58.6

Massachusetts Quits N. B. A.

BOSTON, Dec. 17 (UP)—

The Massachusetts State Boxing Commission today resigned from the National Boxing Association because of an alleged "outright attempt to undermine and hinder boxing in the Commonwealth."

The state's resignation from the national group was announced in a letter from Henry N. Lamar, acting chairman of the Massachusetts State Boxing Commission. It was sent to Gilbert H. Jackson, of Racine, Wis., president of the N. B. A.

The incident was nowhere mentioned in Lamar's letter but he unmistakably referred to the furor caused by the welterweight "championship" bout between former champion Tony De Marco and Virgil Atkins of St. Louis on Oct. 15 here.

Promoters, with the backing of the state commission, announced the winner as the successor to Carmen Basilio's vacated crown but the N.B.A. refused to give the match championship recognition and set up its own elimination series.

However, Wally Pipp, the New York first baseman, dropped the throw—and the Browns poured across seven runs.

"Another game that has always amused and made me happy was in my first year with the Browns," the old catcher said, referring to a contest against the White Sox the opening week of the 1915 season at Sportsman's Park.

With two out in the ninth, Chicago's Hi Jasper, hurling a one-hitter, owned a 3-1 lead. The Browns had two on and the count reached "3-0" on Severeid when Branch Rickey, the Browns' manager, gave him the hit sign. Hank blasted a grand-slam game-winning homer.

Robert Lee Hedges, who owned the Browns, was so happy he called Hank into his office the next day and presented him with the game-winning ball, gold-painted with his name, the date and the score. "I've still got the ball," Severeid wrote.



There are small areas with a trace to one inch of snow on the ground this morning in the Dakotas and Minnesota, where in the Great Lakes region from one inch to one foot of snow is general. Grand Marais, Mich., has the greatest depth with 13 inches.

Low temperatures in the Great Lakes region ranged from near 10 above to the 20s this morning. The freezing line is in an east-west direction through northern Indiana, northern Illinois, and central Iowa, then northward along the Missouri river and the Minnesota-Dakotas border.

Rain and drizzle and fog will spread northward today with a band of freezing drizzle along the northern edge of this area in Iowa and in northern Illinois and Indiana. Cloudy skies will remain through tomorrow in the Northern Plains and Great Lakes region and the middle Mississippi Valley.

Shooting hours: Tomorrow—6:44 a.m. to 4:42 p.m.; Thursday—6:44 a.m. to 4:42 p.m. (Supplied by U.S. Weather Bureau.)

Bears Brace, Hold Wayne Back, 58-57

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

DETROIT, Dec. 16—A Washington University basketball team which had suffered for five games with a "cold" shooting percentage suddenly turned hot last night and defeated Wayne State, 58-57, here before a meager gathering of 191 fans.

The Bears hit on 46 per cent of their shots from the floor in the game and 70 per cent from the foul line.

Harvey Maack and Stan Smith led the shooting spree, with Maack hitting seven field goals and four of five free throws for 18 points. Smith had five field goals and made six or seven free throw attempts for 16 points.

The Bears led through most of the game but had to hold up under strong pressure at the end. Wayne State tied the score, 52-52, with 1:30 left but Maack hit on a long set shot. Wayne—Smith—within one point on a free throw but fouled Maack in its eagerness to gain possession. He sank both shots of a one-and-one foul goal opportunity.

Wayne State's Bob Kendrick sank a pair of free throws to pull them within one point again but the pattern in favor of the Bears repeated itself with Stan Smith drawing the foul. He sank both free throws to clinch the victory with eight seconds remaining.

Kendrick led both teams with 26 points, 22 of them in the second half as he kept Wayne State in the game.

The first half was a slow affair as both teams played ball-control basketball. Washington trailed only briefly, early in the half. They also trailed for a few seconds once in the second half.

Washington now has a 3-3 mark.

The Bears next play at home, on Thursday night. Their Field House opponent will be Utah State.

WAYNE U. (57)			
Player	Pts.	Reb.	F. Pct.
Kendrick	26	12	73.1
Maack	18	3	83.3
Smith	16	3	85.7
Shaw	6	0	0.0
Perkins	0	0	0.0
James	0	0	0.0
Totals	58	17-38	44.7

WASHINGTON U. (58)			
Player	Pts.	Reb.	F. Pct.
Maack	18	3	83.3
Patton	11	0	0.0
Harwood	8	0	0.0
Shaw	3	0	0.0
Thibault	3	0	0.0
Totals	58	14-22	63.6

Score at half—Washington 27, Wayne 21. Officials—Sam Madden and Jim Kennedy.

Earl Buchholz Rated No. 1 in School Tennis

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—Earl Buchholz Jr. of John Burroughs of St. Louis, was ranked as the No. 1 interscholastic tennis player by the ranking committee of the United States Lawn Tennis Association. The rankings will not become official until approved at the USLTA meeting at St. Petersburg, Fla., Jan. 18.

Charles (Chuck) McKinley, Buchholz's rival in numerous junior tournaments, who attends Pattonville High, was ranked No. 7. McKinley also was rated No. 5 in junior singles in which Buchholz received no ranking because of insufficient data. Rodney Susman, another St. Louisian, was given a Class A rating in junior singles.

In junior doubles, McKinley and Martin Riessen of Hinsdale, Ill., were given the No. 2 spot. Karen Hantz of San Diego, Calif., who became 15 years old last Wednesday, received a belated birthday present when she was tentatively ranked first in three separate classifications.

Karen, a five-foot, six-inch blonde, was ranked No. 1 in 1957 in girls' singles, girls' 15 singles and also in girls' 15 doubles with Katherine Chabot of San Diego. In addition, Miss Hantz (pronounced Hantz), was placed second with Albertina Rodi of Beverly Hills, Calif., in girls' doubles.

Other No. 1 rankings: Girls' doubles—Sally Moore of Bakersfield, Calif., and Helene Weill of Beverly Hills, Calif.

Junior singles—Alan Roberts of Brooklyn.

Junior doubles—Robert Delgado and Allen Fox of Los Angeles.

Boys' singles—William Bond of La Jolla, Calif. (unranked) last year.

Boys' doubles—Bond and Dennis Ralston of Bakersfield, Calif.

Interscholastic doubles—Ray Senkowski and Gerald Duble of Hamtramck (Mich.) high school.

Seniors' singles—Bryan (Bitty) Grant Jr. of Atlanta (also No. 1 in 1956).

Seniors' doubles—Edward Jacobs and C. Alphonso Smith of Arlington, Va. (also No. 1 in 1956).

At Fairground Park, tonight, there will be a C.Y.C. doubleheader as follows: Holy Rosary vs. All Souls, 7:30; St. Engelbert vs. St. Edward, 9. The latter teams are tied for the Bishop Helmsing League lead.

Thursday night's C.Y.C. game at Carondelet: St. Thomas vs. St. Mary Magdalen, 8:15.

Plenty of Coaches.

With so many teams in the lower age brackets playing soccer here it is logical to expect a better crop of talented players among the seniors in a year or two. Numbers, alone, don't guarantee a harvest of finer talent; the little fellows must be taught how to play the game.

It is encouraging to find that dozens of former players, some of whom won recognition as top-rank stars, are giving their time to the task of teaching. Their names should be remembered if, as expected, their efforts bring out a full quota of clever soccer players.

Here are some of the volunteer coaches of young teams: Joe Carenza, Harry Desmuke, Lea Lange, Harry Keough, Ed Flavin, Marty Clarke, Bill (Dutch) Gockel, Chick Fernandez, Bob Fitzgerald, Tom Kickham, Frank Murphy, Tony Krefl, Larry Wind, Jack O'Reilly, John (Dinty) Moore, Willie Welsher, Ted Kirchhoefer, Hal Weigel, Paul Campbell, Eddie Cook, Frank Pastor and Whitley Zurluh.

That's only a partial list of the better-known ex-players now teaching in their spare hours. A native Hollander Jack Ruskus, is showing the Bantam class kids at Our Lady of Fatima parish how to play; Dave Nelson, ex-Arsenal player, helps the Priory School team; Howard Blaisdell, Les Hatfield, Ray Beckman and others have given school and academy teams a lift through the years.

Others who are doing a similar work include Bill Balota, Ray Marshak, Gus Robinson, Jerry Julius, "Peeny" Fernandez, Joe Kovarik, Earl Layton, Fred Brown, Jim Cosrau, Joe Russell, Al Thoma, Al Jerolimek, Red Layton, George Wichmann, Jack Dueker, Bob McVey, Glenn McKenna, Tom Trost, Sonny Vitale, Leo Craemer, Tom Murphy, John Balmer, Al Wendel, Ed Scott, Harry Sunder, Al Rose, John Volpo, Gene Herbig, Ralph Cassell, Ray Krumm, Pete Sorber, Ed Fogarty, Dick Niehaus, Mike Tamme, Ray Dietz, Jim Pisoni, Harry Bresnahan, Gino Pariani, Don Dallas, Gerry Curran, Ed Toczowski, Pat Denny, Art Demling. And the list is growing as more teams get into competition each season, each demanding two or more coaches.

94 Yard TD Run. Ron Steiner of Wisconsin turned in the longest scoring play of the Big Ten football season during 1957. He intercepted a pass against West Virginia and went 94 yards.

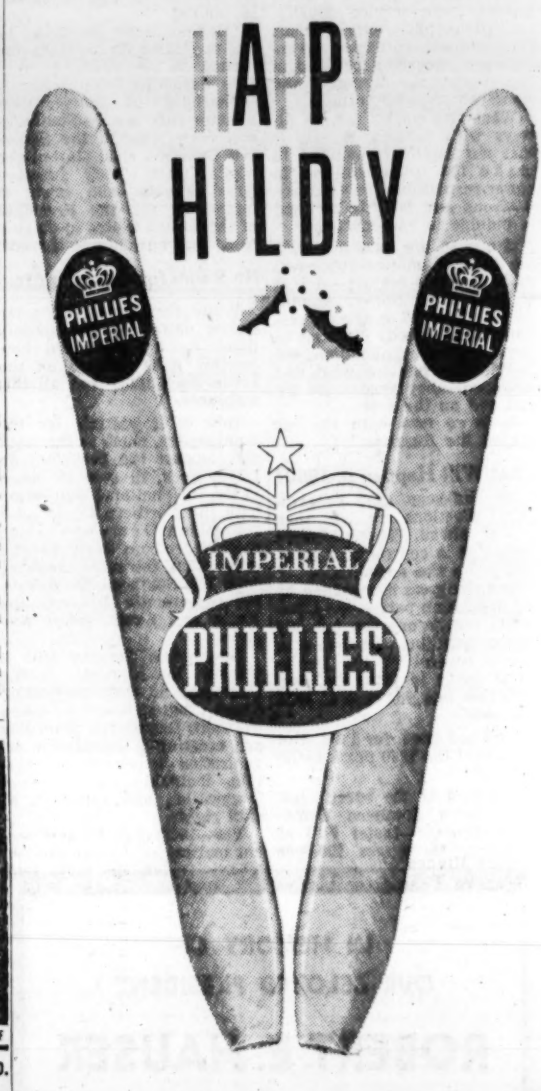


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\$295,500 Profit for Redlegs Last Season

CINCINNATI, Dec. 17 (UP)—The Cincinnati Redlegs made a net profit of \$295,541.45 for

the fiscal year ending Oct. 31, and General Manager Gabe Paul said all full-time salaried employees of the club, excluding players, coaches and managers, will be included in a retirement income plan and a profit sharing plan.



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BOWLING

by John J. Archibald

The Bowlers Weren't Only Anxious Ones.

THE men in the gray flannel suits had some nervous moments during the network telecast of the World Invitational Tournament finals at Chicago the other night. Despite a schedule carefully worked out by timing the earlier tournament matches, the bowlers were completing their games too fast. The sponsor had bought an hour of time, but what would happen if the champion was decided with a half-hour remaining?

The ad men's attention centered on Don Carter and Tom Hennessey, of course. They had rolled their first game before the telecast began and, as planned, they were midway through the second game when the cameras picked them up. That was a few minutes after 9 o'clock.

In 10 minutes the second game was completed, and the bowlers moved to adjoining lanes and started the third game. The TV crew then had Joe Norris, one of the tournament officials, ease behind Hennessey and ask him whether he and Don could slow down a bit. Tom, who had kept his title chance alive by winning the previous game, didn't want to take a chance on losing his rhythm. He told Norris there wasn't much he could do about it at that time.

After Carter won the third game by a close margin, and thereby assured himself of the \$5000 first prize, both bowlers were willing to cooperate. They made a real production of the final, with Hennessey winning, 248-203. Even so, the bowling is reported to have ended about five minutes sooner than the advertising agency had planned, but the interviews with Carter and the women's titlist, Marion Ladewig, didn't seem too drawn out.

The error that the program planners made, apparently, was to base their estimate of the length of a four-game match on the time needed earlier in the tournament—when there were women competing on lanes between each men's match during the first two games. For the televised finals, the men bowled by themselves, with an empty set of lanes between each match. This made it unnecessary for the men to wait for more than one other bowler before they began their approach. Thus the speed-up.

Whether the sponsor was satisfied with the number of viewers hasn't been reported. There will be a second appearance of bowling on a national network on Jan. 19, a Sunday night, when the All-Star final will be televised from Minneapolis.

Reserve Team Members Still Shell-Shocked?

MEMBERS of the Chicago Reserve team, which was drubbed recently by the Palatka in the national team match-game event, made a poor showing in the World Invitational. Stan Thaden made the 36-man semifinals, but the others were well down the list.

Andy Rogoznica was fifth-third, Earl Johnson fifth-sixth, Carmen Salvo ninth-first, Harry Lippe 10th and Paul Krumske 13th. Joe Wilman, 50-year-old Hall of Famer who lost out to Bill Lillard for the All-Star crown on the final ball just two years ago, was 12th, but Joe has been having some back trouble.

The Canadian men's champion invited to the meet, Gabriel Bihary, of Hamilton, Ont., averaged 182 for his qualifying round of 24 games. He is a left-hander.

One of the big-name bowlers from Detroit complained to tournament director Jim Kearns that the Coliseum lanes had been "fixed" for the type of ball thrown by a certain few favorite bowlers. Kearns, looking at the variety of individuals who had reached the finals in the men's and women's divisions, had a quick reply.

"The tournament lanes were good for slow ballers, fast ballers, wide hooks, straight balls, left-handers, right-handers, two-finger balls, three-finger balls, fat people and thin people. What's left?"

Kearns reported the attendance at the World Invitational was down a little in contrast to recent All-Star tournaments, but this was expected when television arrangements were made. The TV didn't detract from the crowd directly, but because the sponsor insisted that the meet end at the time of the regular Friday night fight, the bowling promoters had to give up the Saturday and Sunday afternoon crowds that have attended the All-Star. Attendance on Thursday and Friday afternoons, when most people are working, was only about 50 per cent of capacity.

Deadline Friday for Baptist Basket Meet

Deadline for entries to the annual Christmas basketball tournament for Baptist Church teams is Friday night. It was announced by Jim Newton, tournament chairman. Competition will be in both the Senior Men's division and Intermediate Boys, with games scheduled Dec. 26, 27, 30 and Jan. 2. Newton can be reached at FL 2-6444. The tournament draw will be made at a meeting of team representatives Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the Baptist Building, 3528 Washington avenue.

Fight Results.
NEW YORK—Danny Russo, 151, Brooklyn, outpointed Tony Decola, 147, Brooklyn, 10 rounds.
Hawkins—Dean Harrington, 147, Newark, outpointed Marshall, 140, Youngstown, Ohio, 2.

Up-and-Down SMU First Southwest Team to Top Kentucky

Mustangs, Only .500 Five, Win By Point

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (UP)—Kentucky's reputation as a first-rate basketball power suffered another kick in the prestige today from unpredictable Southern Methodist, which looks like a second-rate one night and a world-beater the next.

The Mustangs were supposed to be "much weaker" this year because of the loss of big Jim Krebs and other regulars through graduation. They lived up to their billing by dropping three of their first five games. It was an entirely different story last night, however, as they handed Kentucky a 65-64 licking at Dallas, Tex., and became the first Southwest Conference team in history ever to defeat the Wildcats.

The loss was the second of the season for Adolph Rupp's Wildcats, who dropped from third to sixth place this week in the national ratings by the United Press board of coaches. Rick Herscher, a 6-foot, 3-inch senior from St. Louis, was the key factor in Southern Methodist's triumph last night. He sank two free throws with 40 seconds remaining and grabbed a crucial rebound just before the final buzzer to clinch the victory for the Mustangs and wind up the individual high scorer with 22 points.

Kansas State and San Francisco, two other teams in the top 10, fared much better than Kentucky.

Third-ranked Kansas State registered its fifth straight victory by beating the University of Arkansas, 63-48, while the fourth-ranked San Francisco Dons made it four in a row with a 70-56 victory over Southern California.

Arkansas started at a fast pace and led Kansas State for the first 11 minutes, but 6-foot, 8-inch Bob Boozer tied the score with a tap-in and Kansas State never fell behind again. Wichita withstood a last-minute rally by Iowa to beat the Hawkeyes, 81-78, with the aid of Don Woodworth's 27 points, and Texas Tech rolled to its fifth straight victory by beating Louisiana State, 79-72. Gerald Myers hit for 27 points for the Texans.

In other games, Terry Randall's jump shot just as the final horn sounded gave Georgia Tech a 61-59 win over Baylor; Memphis State rallied to whip The Citadel, 70-63; St. Mary's of California outlasted Evansville college, 70-68; Western Kentucky hurdled Harding University, 96-60; Tulane topped Centenary, 85-75; Nebraska defeated Denver, 68-63, and Georgetown beat Catholic University, 84-58.

BASKETS RATINGS

(Made Before Monday Games.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (UP)—The United Press college basketball ratings (first-place votes and win-loss records in parentheses):
Team Points
1. North Carolina (22) (4-0) — 312
2. Kansas (8) (5-0) — 292
3. Kansas State (1) (4-0) — 289
4. San Francisco (1) (3-0) — 288
5. Michigan State (1) (3-0) — 287
6. Kentucky (1) (4-1) — 218
7. Cincinnati (1) (4-0) — 197
8. Seattle (2-1) — 86
9. Maryland (1) (4-0) — 84
10. C.C.A. (4-0) — 57
Second 10 teams—11. Bradley, 57; 12. Rice, 47; 13. Temple, 35; 14. West Virginia, 31; 15. Utah, 27; 16. (tie), Minnesota and Oregon State, 24 each; 18. Iowa State, 19 (tie); 19. Notre Dame, Michigan and Duke, 8 each.
Others—Oklahoma State and Purdue, 7 each; St. Louis and Yale, 5 each; Illinois and Iowa, 4 each; Oklahoma and North Carolina State, 3 each; Texas, Mississippi State and Oklahoma City Univ., 2 each; Colorado State, 1.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—The Associated Press college basketball ratings (first-place votes and win-loss records through basketball games in parentheses):
Team Points
1. North Carolina (63) (4-0) — 1081
2. Kansas (21) (5-0) — 839
3. Kansas State (4) (4-0) — 842
4. Cincinnati (12) (4-0) — 489
5. Kentucky (3) (4-1) — 387
6. San Francisco (1) (3-0) — 340
7. Michigan State (2) (3-0) — 332
8. West Virginia (2) (5-0) — 340
9. Minnesota (2-0) — 222
10. Maryland (1) (4-0) — 178
11. Bradley (2-1) — 169
12. C.C.A. (4-0) — 117
13. Rice (3-0) — 85
14. Utah (4-0) — 73
15. Oklahoma State (2-1) — 73
16. Oregon State (5-0) — 81
17. Mississippi State (5-0) — 81
18. Richmond (4-1) — 40
19. North Carolina State (5-1) — 37

Harris Teachers Score Fifth Basket Victory, Beats Flat River, 88-82

The Harris Teachers College basketball team continued to improve its record, winning for the fifth time in seven games, against Flat River Junior College last night. Harris was an 88-82 victor at the Hadley Tech Field House.

Bill Funkhauser led Harris with 18 points. Other leading Teachers were Bert Barth, 16 points, and Rick Lessman and Gene Wallace, 13 each. Dale St. Germaine of Flat River led all scorers with 20 points.

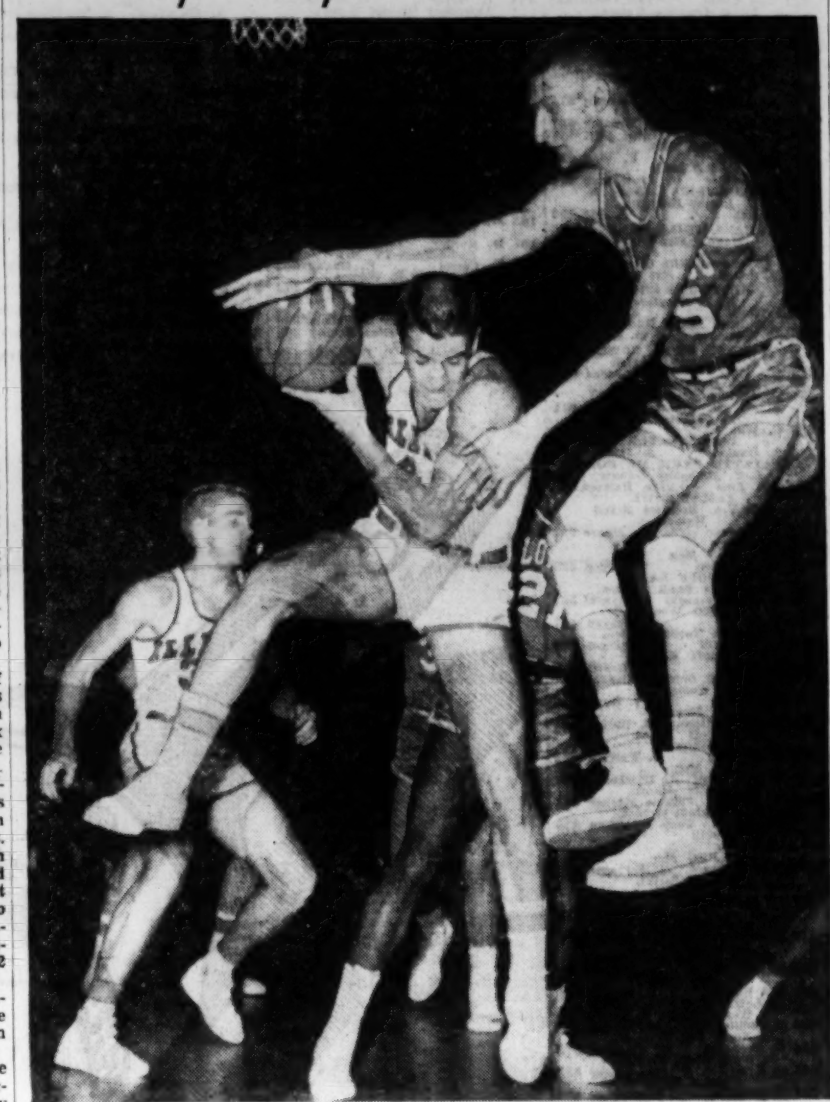
Harris Teachers' next game is against Missouri Mines, Thursday at Rolla.

Remember? 5...15...25 YEARS AGO

1952—Arkansas's Carroll Scroggins connected with a final-second field goal to give the Razorbacks a 65-64 basketball victory over Missouri at Columbia. . . . The veteran Sam Henderson's Marshall College team, using only six players, held off the Bears at Washington U. Field House, 60 to 50.

1942—Gloria Callon, holder of 31 national swimming records, was named No. 1 Woman Athlete of the Year, winning out over tennis champion Pauline Betz and golf star Betty Jameson.

They Always Come Back Down



Basketball, a game played on a floor half the time and in the air the other half, can be as much fun for the photographers as for the players. This poor-man's ballet shot was taken at an Illinois game, and the man all doubled up in the air is Colorado's 6-7 center, MATT BASKIN. The man below him, expecting the worst, is DON OHL of Illinois. Whatever befalls OHL, he has the basketball. The game was an Illini victory, 64-46, at Champaign.

Illinois Beats Colorado for 4th Straight

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Dec. 17 (UP)—Illinois gained its fourth basketball victory without defeat last night but had to recover from a case of poor shooting in the first half to overcome the University of Colorado, 64-46.

Paced by Roger Taylor's 17 points, the Illini connected on only 265 of their shots in the first half, and rallied twice in the last half to gain a .427 shooting percentage.

Leading into 27-23 at half-time, Illinois dumped in 13 quick points during the first five minutes of the final half to widen the margin. The recovery also marked the return of a 6-3 forward Manny Jackson, who was forced to leave the game with a leg injury only seconds after the start. Jackson later returned and scored 10 of his 12 points after the intermission. Roger Taylor, 17, paced the winners in scoring.

Gerry Schroeder was high man for the Buffs, with 12 points.

The box score:
ILLINOIS (64) 77-73 F.T. Pts.
Jackson 6 0 12 Lewis 3 1 7
Faulk 2 3 3 Hayward 0 0 0
Gonzell 1 1 3 Mich'n 0 0 3
Hall 2 3 3 Mich'n 0 0 3
Hankberg 0 0 0 Bailey 3 2 8
Breyfogle 0 0 0 Walker 0 0 0
Vaughn 2 4 14 Jackson 0 0 0
Perry 0 0 0 Schroeder 5 2 12
OHL 12 12 24 Taylor 0 0 1
Taylor 7 2 17 Anderson 0 0 1
Frazer 0 0 0 Lind 0 0 0
Totals 26 12 64 Totals 17 12 46
Half-time score—Illinois 27, Colorado 23.

Britain Bars Pastrano Bout With Turpin

LONDON, Dec. 17 (UP)—The scheduled Feb. 3 match between Willie Pastrano of New Orleans, La., and Randy Turpin of England today was called off by the British Boxing Board of Control.

The fight, scheduled for 10 rounds at Leicester, was barred on grounds it was "not in the interest of boxing."

Cancellation of the bout followed protests by British sports writers. They said Turpin, who suffered four defeats since he was beaten by Carl (Bobo) Olson in a bout for the vacant middleweight crown two years ago, must suffer serious injury if he fought Pastrano.

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D. Gowin, Pulteney, N.Y., has a picture of his grandfather that's so real, he has to trim the beard each week.

1932—Jim Bottomley, who in 13 seasons with the Cardinals never batted under .300, was traded to Cincinnati for Outfielder Estil Crabtree. Outfielder Owen Carroll and cash Georgia heavyweight, outpointed South Africa's Dan McCorkindale at Johannesburg.

CBS' Sunday Baseball TV Reported Set

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—The decision of the Columbia Broadcasting System to telecast a Sunday major league game of the week next season brought bitter comment today from baseball officials.

Said Commissioner Ford Frick: "It's a bad thing for baseball and I'm sorry some of our clubs are going in for it."

"I'm hoping that Congress will provide legislation that will take us out of the hands of the Justice Department and give us the right to regulate such telecasts."

CBS, for its part, would admit only that it is "still in the procedure of negotiating" for the games, but the Associated Press learned that the plans had been completed.

Last season both CBS and the National Broadcasting Company (which has a Saturday Game-of-the-Week) blacked out the Saturday telecasts within a 50-mile radius of major league

Mad, Indeed!

CHERRY BURTON, England, Dec. 17 (UP)—But the referee for a local football match that they complained to the Referees Association from whom they thought they'd hired him. The association did a bit of checking, found the objectionable referee was an escapee from a nearby mental hospital.

cities and in minor league cities where they conflicted with regularly scheduled games.

Some observers interpreted CBS's decision as a counter move to NBC's entry into the Saturday Game-of-the-Week picture last season.

.388 Hitter Signed.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 17 (UP)—The Indianapolis Indians today announced the signing of outfielder John Spicuzza, who led the Class "B" Southwestern League in hitting last season with a .388 average. Spicuzza, optioned by Oklahoma City, was with Hobbs, N.M., in his first season in organized baseball. He had 130 RBIs in 125 games.

Snider to Undergo Operation on Knee

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17 (AP)—Duke Snider is going to have the knee that bothered him so much last season operated on this week.

The Los Angeles Dodgers' center fielder will enter St. John's Hospital in Santa Monica on Thursday and have some cartilage removed from his left knee.

Snider had trouble with the knee during most of the 1957 season, which was the first in five years in which he failed to drive in 100 runs or more.

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Ostermueller Dies; Former Brown Pitcher

QUINCY, Ill., Dec. 17 (AP)—Fritz Ostermueller, 50, retired major league pitcher, died today after a long illness.

A native of Quincy, Ostermueller spent 15 years in the big leagues with the Boston Red Sox, St. Louis Browns, Brooklyn Dodgers and Pittsburgh Pirates. His won and lost record for 15 major league seasons was 159-115.

Ostermueller, a left-hander, started his baseball career with Quincy in the Three-I League in 1926. He played minor league ball with Topeka, Rochester, St. Joseph, Mo., and Greensboro, N.C. Since his retirement from baseball in 1948 he operated a motel near Quincy.

Surviving is the widow, the former Fay Simpson.

Fritz pitched for the Browns in 1941-42-43, winning three games and losing six. A Cardinal farmhand, his most effective pitching was against the Redbirds while with Pittsburgh, 1944 through '48.

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(St. Louis U. High Gym.)
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Cathedral 44, St. Ann 35.
St. Gabriel 60, St. Ann 43.
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Weyforth, Junior Bills' Star, Out for the Season

By Harold Tuthill

St. Louis U. High, having won three straight games, faces a rosy future in prep basketball except for one thing—the Junior Billkens must press on without one of their mainstays of last winter.

Frank Weyforth, injured in football, will be unable to play during the whole basketball season, it was announced by Coach Emmett Hanick last night on the eve of an important home game against Beaumont.

"Weyforth is one of those players a coach is lucky to get—he loves to play defense," Hanick said as he made plans to add to Beaumont's woes. "Weyforth did a good job on (Bob) Gerner in last year's Christmas tournament. Now it will be just our luck to have Beaumont start clicking against us."

Beaumont Record 1-3. Gerner, of course, is gone, but Hanick would like to have a Weyforth to put on Beaumont's Donnell Reid, a jumping Jacket whose 19 points helped hand De Andreis its first loss after three straight victories. When Beaumont won, 65-52, it broke into the "won" column for the first time in four games.

Beaumont has been beaten by McBride, Sumner and Kirkwood, whereas Kirkwood was St. Louis U. High's latest victim, earlier ones being St. Mary's and Chaminade.

Tom Kieffer and Mike Craven are the Blue and White sharpshooters who bear watching. Kieffer just about beat Chaminade single-handed and Craven got 19 in Saturday's 73-67 decision over Kirkwood, the team seeded first in Normandy's Christmas tournament.

While the St. Louis-Beaumont meeting highlights tonight's program, there are other promising games. Cleveland will take its four-victory streak to Kirkwood in a conditioning process for the upcoming game with Sumner Saturday. Sumner plays Lincoln Thursday and McBride Friday, both certain to test the unbeaten Bulldogs who now are 4-0.

Roosevelt vs. McBride. McBride, 3-0, entertains Roosevelt tonight and Brother Norbert Grass hopes Bob Hetzel and Paul Hines have recovered sufficiently from recent illness to oppose the Rough Riders, who are smarting from a 56-45 loss to Vashon.

McKinley plays at St. Mary's in another non-league contest.

University City will be host to Riverview Gardens in a non-league county game. Other engagements are Clayton at Affton, Lindbergh at Hazelwood, Bayless at Eureka, Lutheran at Wellston, Fredericktown at Affton, Jennings at Western Military Academy, Elsberry at St. Charles, Duchesne at Kinloch, Union at Valley Park, Mercy at Normandy, and Parkway at Country Day.

Across the river, Assumption entertains neighboring Lincoln.

9 St. Louisans In Orange Bowl Tennis Tourney

Nine St. Louis tennis players, headed by Earl (Butch) Buchholz, will compete in the annual Orange Bowl tournament starting Dec. 26 at Miami, Fla. Buchholz, a big winner in the summer outdoor season, will compete in the junior boys' events. Erika Puetz and Jean

Gelner will be junior girls contenders and two additional players, Carol Hanks and Mary Clendenin, are entrants in the division for girls 15 and under. Butch Buchholz won the Muny, Missouri Valley and St. Louis District men's championships but lost out to Susman in the recent National indoor junior tourney at the 138th Infantry Armory. Clifford Buchholz, who paced the Southwest High team to its Public High School League tennis championship last fall, is the district and Valley boys' titleholder.

Miss Puetz enjoyed a prosperous outdoor season by winning both the St. Louis District and Missouri Valley women's titles. She also gained District junior honors. Justina Bricka, a University City student, again will compete in the National Girls' indoor tourney beginning Dec. 25 at Boston. Miss Bricka won the girls' national indoor 13-years-and-under singles and doubles championships last year at Boston.

Russo Winner In DeCola Bout

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (UP)—Danny Russo, 19-year-old Brooklyn welterweight, followed the old ring axiom: "Find a target you can hit, and keep hitting it," as he won an upset majority decision over Tony DeCola last night. In their 10-round fight at St. Nicholas Arena, lanky De-

Cola's body became the No. 1 target for Danny's busy fists. Then DeCola, also of Brooklyn, began dropping his gloves to protect the body, and Russo found he could hit the chin with left hooks. DeCola, favored at 9-5, weighed 149½ pounds to Russo's 151. Tony outboxed Russo in the early rounds, before the body blows and left hooks to the head slowed him down. It was little Charlie Goldman, former trainer of Rocky Marciano, who impressed the target axiom on Russo as he groomed for DeCola. Judge Artie Aidala called

the bout a draw, with 4-4 on rounds and 4-4 on points. But Referee Davey Feld favored Russo, 6-3-1, and Judge Artie Schwartz agreed 5-4-1. Because of his victory, Russo will get another fight at St. Nick's in late January or early February—after three small cuts about his left eye heal. His opponent again will be Eddie Lynch of New York, whom Russo outpointed Aug. 5, when Lynch's admirers caused a near-riot with their pigeons, firecrackers, bugles, etc.

Prep Schedule.

MID-WESTERN CONFERENCE
Madison at Cahokia, S.
KASKASKIA CONFERENCE
New Athens at Columbia, S.
NOK-LEAGUE
Parkway at Country Day, 4.
Cleveland at Kirkwood, S.
Roosevelt at McBride, S.
McKinley at St. Mary's, S.
Union at Valley Park, S.
Bayless at Eureka, S.
Lindbergh at Hazelwood, S.
Mercy at Normandy, S.
Mater Dei at Breese at Cathedral, S.
Clayton at Affton, S.
Marissa at Valley Park, S.
Fredericktown at Brentwood, S.
Lutheran at Wellston, S.
Jennings at Western Military Academy, S.
Troy at Livingston, S.
Vashon at Lincoln of Venice, S.
Mound City at Lovejoy, S.
Lincoln of East St. Louis at Assumption, S.
Riverview Gardens at University City, S.
Worden at St. Louis, S.
Beaumont at St. Louis U. High, S.
Elsberry at St. Charles, S.
Duchesne at Kinloch, S.
Breese at Oakville, S.
Carlyle at Pinckneyville, S.

Lincoln of Venice will be host to Vashon and Lovejoy is at home to Mound City. Other games are Troy at Livingston, Worden at St. Paul, Breese at Oakville and Carlyle at Pinckneyville.

Madison visits Cahokia in a Mid-Western Conference contest and Columbia is at home to New Athens in a Kaskaskia Conference game.

City Tenpin Tourney Entries Close Jan. 1

There are just 15 days until New Year's Day, and that is the deadline for entering the fifty-eighth annual city bowling tournament. Entries must be received at the office of the Greater St. Louis Bowling Association by Jan. 1.

The team event will be held at W. & S. Lanes, 5455 Easton avenue, starting Feb. 1. Doubles and singles will be at Bevo Lanes, 4652 Gravois, starting Feb. 15.

Entry forms may be obtained at any bowling establishment or by contacting the city association at 4925A Delmar.

Last year the Rudolphs won the team handicap title with 3263. A 2978 by the Budweisers took the scratch championship.

There was a tie for the doubles crown between Art Heilmann - Richard Volting and John Johnson-Harry Coster, each with 1422. In the singles event there was also a tie, with both Fred Rolfe and Ronald Hannebrink totaling 788. The Buds Ray Bluth won the all-events title (scratch) with 1920.

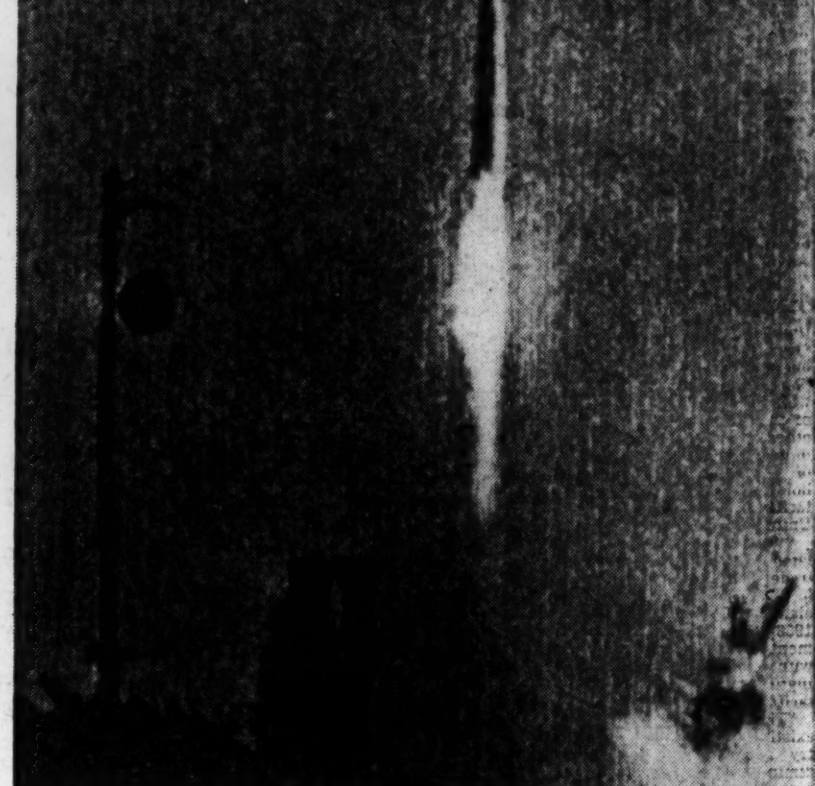
Majeski Named Coach.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (UP)—Henry (Hank) Majeski, who batted .282 during 14 seasons in the major leagues, succeeded Jeff Safford as baseball coach at Wagner College.

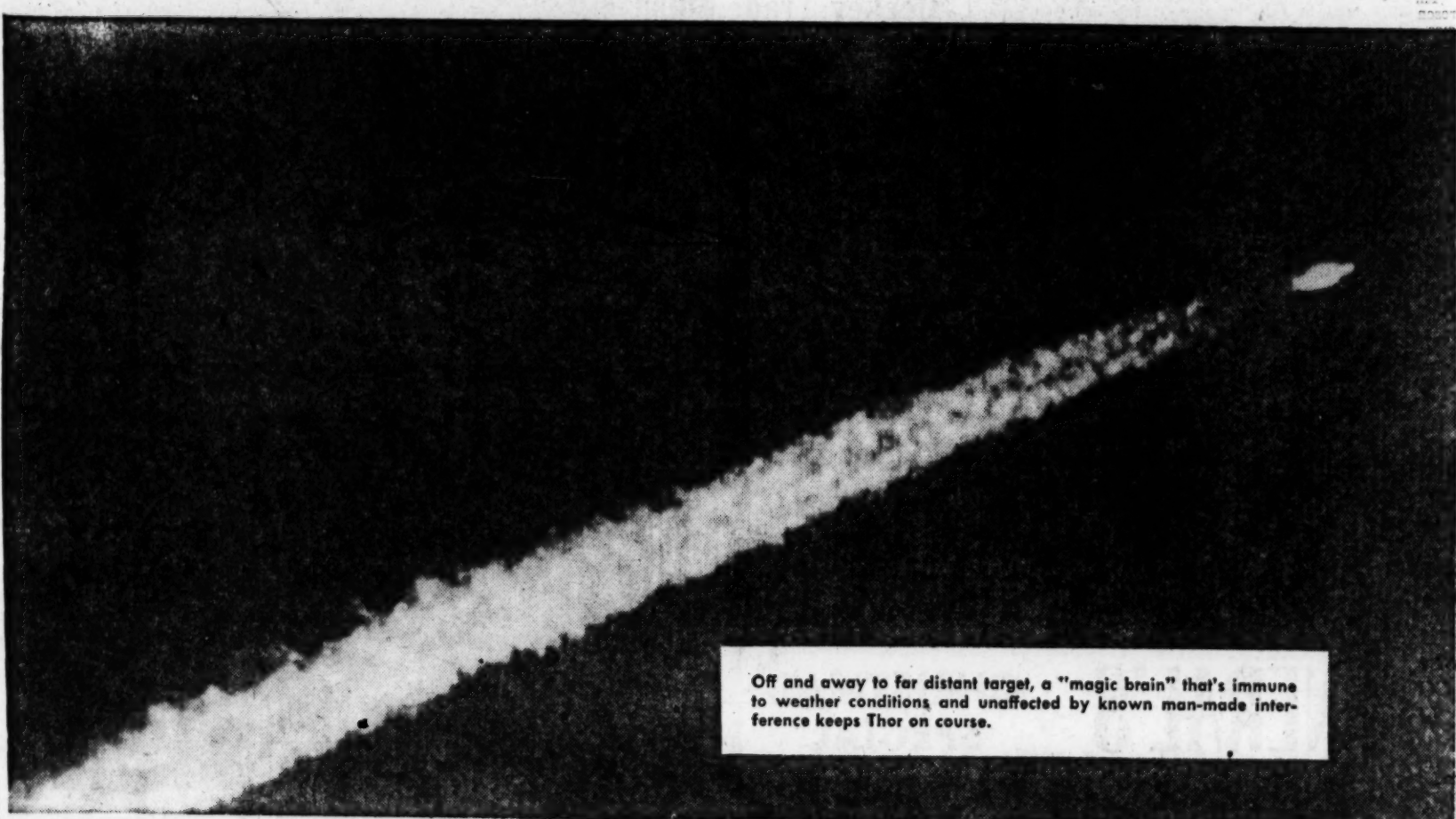
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RECIPROCAL TRADE ACT GIVEN BACKING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—Three citizen advisers gave strong support today to an Administration proposal to extend the Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act five years beyond next June 30.

The report to the White House was made by the three public advisory members to the American delegation to the recent General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade organization meeting at Geneva, Switzerland.

They also recommended approval of United States membership in the Organization of Trade Co-operation, which President Eisenhower has proposed twice. So far, Congress has taken no action.

OTC would be the permanent administrative organization of the 37-nation GATT group which seeks reduction of international trade barriers.

"Unfortunately, the influence of the United States was not as great as it should be," the three men said in their formal report submitted to presidential assistant Sherman Adams.

The report was presented by Andrew L. Biehl, director of the AFL-CIO legislative department; H. J. Heinz II, president of the H. J. Heinz Co., and Arthur B. Evans, member of the National Agricultural Advisory Council.

"Uncertainty about the renewal of the Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act and our continuing failure to approve the Organization for Trade Co-operation," the report added, "has reduced the general as well as the specific influence of the United States upon the other GATT countries, whether in negotiations seeking removal of quantitative restrictions, holding down common market tariffs or otherwise furthering United States interests."

"We need a forcefully articulated and fully implemented trade program. We believe that it is an essential of our foreign policy that Congress in 1958 renew the trade agreements act for at least five years with authority to make meaningful reductions in existing tariff rates."

"The renewal should include existing safeguards for industry and agriculture with no diminution of the President's authority and with due regard for the legitimate concerns of labor. We also recommend the approval of our membership in OTC."

The three United States representatives said the deficiencies of the present system of transacting GATT business without the machinery which the OTC would provide were constantly apparent at the Geneva meeting.

TRAFFIC TIE-UP JUST 'MISTAKE,' LACLEDE SAYS

Yesterday morning's traffic tie-up on the Express Highway was due to a "mistake" by a Laclede Gas Co. foreman in starting an excavation on Market street at Spring avenue shortly after 7 a.m., a company spokesman said today.

More than 3000 motorists were delayed up to 15 minutes, with vehicles moving at snail's pace almost the entire length of the highway.

Another mistake by the utility was in failure to obtain a city permit for the job. City officials pointed out, however, that under its state franchise, the company can dig into streets wherever and whenever it chooses.

The work at Spring and Market is to relocate a six-inch pipe under Market. Temporary cones were put over the ditch during rush hours late yesterday and this morning.

BERKELEY'S CITY COUNCIL TO TALK LESS, DO MORE

There is going to be less talk and more action in the Berkeley council meetings hereafter.

The council passed an ordinance last night providing that a member may speak no more than twice on one question and at no time may he speak more than five minutes without the unanimous consent of the council. Raising a point of order and a request for clarification will not be considered speaking time.

Council Chairman George A. Pfitzinger said the ordinance was passed "because sometimes members talk too much on inconsequential matters."

"We'll try it out for awhile," he added, "and if it doesn't work, we'll rescind it. Meanwhile, I don't know who is going to keep a stop watch on the speakers. I know I'm not."

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NOSE CONE READY FORTITAN; ROCKET ENGINE DELIVERED

The New York Herald Tribune Post-Dispatch Special Dispatch

LAWRENCE, Mass., Dec. 17 (AP)—Air Force scientists disclosed yesterday that a blunt nose cone has been developed successfully for the Titan—one of the nation's two 5500-mile intercontinental ballistic missiles.

A series of tests in laboratory shot tubes and in actual flight with scale nose cone models attached to the Air Force's X-17 "re-entry test vehicle" indicate that it will resist successfully disintegration when crashing into the earth's atmosphere at a speed of 18,000 miles an hour.

Air force representatives also disclosed that the Titan program right now is in an advanced stage, the first production type rocket engine having just been delivered to the Martin Co., builders of the Titan, in Denver.

The Titan nose cone project is about as far advanced as that for the Atlas, the other intercontinental ballistic missile. Actual Titan firings are scheduled to begin within a year, although the program was started considerably later than the Atlas.

Democratic Women's Group

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (UPI)—A women's division has been created in the Young Democratic Clubs of America to emphasize the role of young women in the organization. It was announced yesterday. Miss Margaret Blocker of Tallahassee, Fla., and Mrs. Lorella Montoya Salazar of Albuquerque, N. M., are co-directors of the new division.

Fleeson

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the President's new appointments secretary.

Adams is the patronage czar of the Administration. The Republican National Committee does not like the arrangement by which Adams has such undisputed control in this field.

Chairman Meade Alcorn heard about an appointment in his own state only after it had been made. Alcorn's friends in Congress laughed when he complained; they have had the same treatment from Adams for years.

The appointments secretary controls, especially in this Administration, access to the President. It is a position of immense power. It can strongly affect the feeling members of Congress entertain toward the

President; politicians are at his mercy. Gray is not quite a stranger to Republicans, for he has handled liaison on patronage jobs with the national committee; but he is little known to the great bulk of people in business, labor, the professions, even the Government, who would like to attract the President's attention.

One important business man, a two-time Eisenhower backer, says it makes little difference since so few people now see the President without Adams being present anyway. He and his Wall Street friends accept this, he says, as a second-term fact of life and have almost quit trying to do anything about it.

Gray is a 36-year-old bachelor from Hastings, Neb., a former special assistant for manpower in the Navy department and a former instructor at the Harvard Business School. (Copyright, 1957.)

Khrushchev

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the levers of that strategically placed party formation?

Hardly. The incumbent is a woman, Ekaterina Furtseva, who owes her present eminence to the boss.

We were sitting in the press gallery of the Supreme Soviet in 1955 when Khrushchev informed the delegates that he thought Comrade Bulganin would make a dandy premier.

There was not a dissenting vote to the suggestion. Bulganin was elected by a show of hands and has held the job ever since.

There is considerable evidence that until recently Bulganin's grip on the job was somewhat shaky. In the scramble of last June he had aligned

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himself first with the Malenkov group, then did a quick switch to Khrushchev. In the Zhukov crisis he undoubtedly sided with Khrushchev from the start and at present he seems to have nailed down the premiership for the foreseeable future.

Bulganin Useful Man

What is often forgotten about this trim, professorial, goateed man is that he probably is a valued cog in Russia's administrative machinery. Bulganin has a fine record over a generation as a Soviet administrator, as a gifted and productive trouble-shooter who guided some of the more important Russian operations.

In brief, Khrushchev doubtless appreciates Bulganin's managerial competence and is happy to avail himself of his

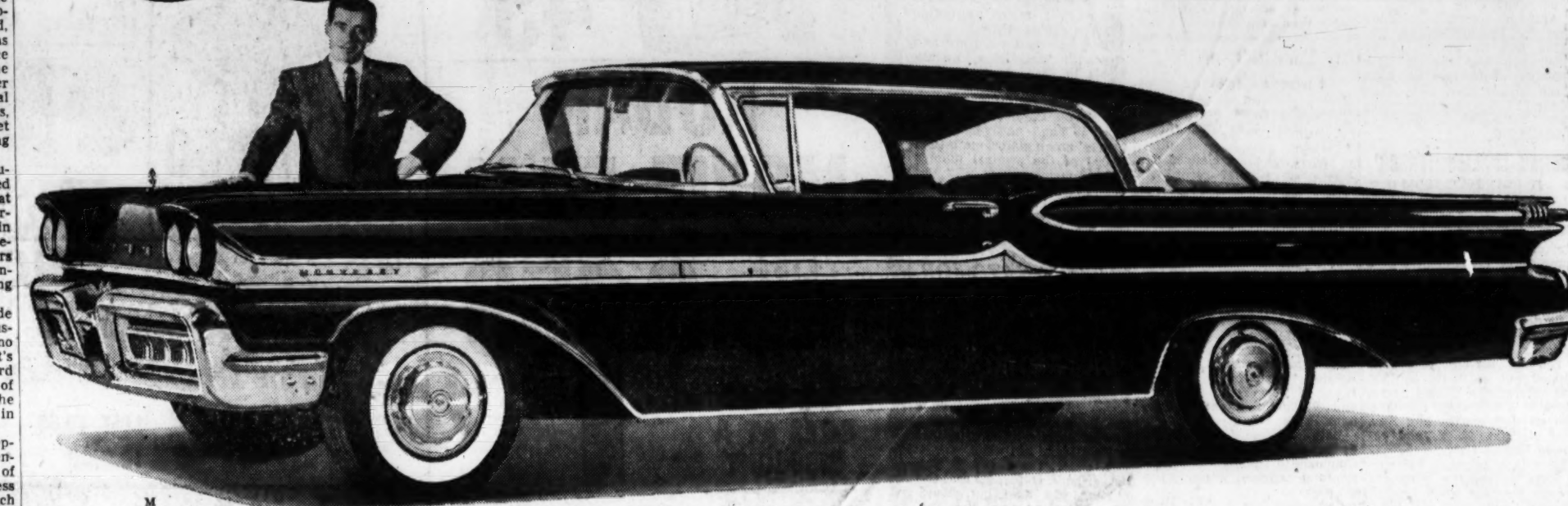
background and ability. Add to this that he does not appear to be personally ambitious for any new area of power and you have a combination of attributes that should make him a trusted Khrushchev associate for a while longer.

What have we left? Voroshilov? A figurehead who reminds impressionable young Communists of the martial glories of the Communist past.

Kirichenko? A strong, silent type from the Ukraine, undoubtedly a Khrushchev man from away back.

Shvernik? A party hack lucky to be in such lofty company. There is not much grist here for a new "conspiracy" against Khrushchev.

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AEC TO BUILD HUGE A-SMASHER IF OK'D

CHICAGO, Dec. 17 (AP)—The director of the Argonne National Laboratory said yesterday his staff was ready to put all-out effort into building the super atom-smasher proposed by a Midwest universities group if preliminary work showed it to be feasible.

Dr. Norman Hilberry, head of the Atomic Energy Commission's big Midwest Laboratory, indicated that current work on a 12½-billion-volt proton synchrotron would not bar construction of the larger machine. Dissatisfaction with the AEC's support of efforts by the Midwest Universities Research Association to develop the larger machine was expressed Saturday by Allan C. G. Mitchell, head of Indiana University's physics department.

Mitchell's statement was made after announcement of a \$160,000 grant to M.U.R.A. by the National Science Foundation for basic research in "high energy accelerator studies."

Dr. Hilberry yesterday urged that M.U.R.A. scientists continue with planning studies on the larger machine, which, he said, would be of "the highest scientific importance."

He pointed out that AEC approval and authorization by Congress would be requisites for actual construction of the super smasher by Argonne. Argonne scientists estimate that the 12½-billion-volt machine will be completed by 1960, but that the M.U.R.A. machine could not be built much earlier than 1965. Cost of the M.U.R.A. accelerator has been estimated roughly at \$100,000,000.

ONETIME SICILIAN 'TERROR' IS RETURNED FROM U. S.

NAPLES, Italy, Dec. 17 (AP)—Giuseppe La Marca, onetime "terror of north Sicily," came home today in handcuffs from the United States to pay the penalty for a postwar career of banditry and killing.

Sentences against him total 57 years and four months in prison. The 32-year-old desperado slipped out of Sicily in 1955 and entered the United States illegally. American immigration officials caught him Nov. 6 at Buffalo, N. Y., and returned him to Italy.

He will be taken to Palermo to start serving the sentences already imposed upon him in absentia, and may be tried for other crimes.

20 MILLION MAY HAVE SEEN PRESIDENT ON TV IN EUROPE

PARIS, Dec. 17 — French television officials estimated that as many as 20,000,000 Europeans watched President Eisenhower on a live telecast yesterday as he delivered his opening address at the NATO meeting.

From Paris the speech was carried over the Eurvision system, a special hook-up linking 17 nations west of the Iron Curtain. These range from Austria in the east to Scandinavia on the north and the British Isles on the west.

Medical Walkout in Chile. SANTIAGO, Dec. 17 (AP)—About 6000 physicians, dentists, pharmacists and professors from the School of Medicine who are classified as Chilean government employees resigned yesterday to dramatize demands for a pay increase. Emergency medical care was maintained.

Red Test Pilot



—Associated Press Wirephoto.
LT. COL.
N. I. KOROVISHKIN

RED SAYS HE SET JET RECORD WITH NEW TYPE ENGINE

MOSCOW, Dec. 17 (AP)—A Soviet test pilot recently credited with flying a new jet fighter more than 2000 kilometers (1242.8 miles) an hour told the newspaper Red Star today the secret of the plane's speed was a new type of engine of "immense capacity."

Lt. Col. N. I. Korovishkin said that when the plane's instruments showed a speed of more than 2000 kilometers "we felt the craft's possibility for still greater speed was not exhausted."

He said another test pilot named Lakhain previously had flown the same unidentified plane faster than 2000 kilometers.

The speed mark claimed exceeds the official record of 1207.6 miles an hour set recently by United States Air Force Maj. Adrian Drew in a McDonnell Voodoo fighter-bomber.

NEW JERSEY SEEKS CURB ON OUT-OF-STATE TAXES

TRENTON, N.J., Dec. 17 (AP)—The New Jersey Legislature says it is time New Jerseyans stopped paying income taxes to New York, Delaware and Philadelphia and Bethlehem, Pa.

Both houses yesterday passed by voice a resolution asking Congress to submit a constitutional amendment stopping the practice.

Some Senators doubted such a measure could get through Congress or be approved by the required 36 of 48 states. They pointed out that more than half the states now levy income taxes on non-residents and would not vote away an income source.

The New Jersey residents paying out-of-state taxes are those working in those states.

ODM DEPUTY CHIEF RESIGNS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The White House said yesterday Victor E. Cooley had resigned as deputy director of the Office of Defense Mobilization.

Wayne Hawks, acting White House press secretary, said Cooley would be succeeded by John S. Patterson, who has been deputy administrator of the Veterans' Administration since 1954. Hawks said the President made the recess appointment of Patterson before he left for Paris Friday. In his letter to the President, Cooley said he desired to return to private life, after four years in the ODM post.

BAKERS SUSPEND REFORM LEADERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The Bakery Workers Union, recently expelled from the AFL-CIO on corruption charges, yesterday suspended four vice presidents who have participated in forming a new rival union.

The Bakery Workers were thrown out of the federation last week because President James G. Cross, charged with misuse of union funds and reprisals against union officers who opposed him, refused to leave the union.

In expelling the Bakery Workers, the AFL-CIO granted a charter to a reform group within the union. The new organization calls itself the "American Bakery and Confectionery Workers International Union."

The ousted union announced late yesterday that four leaders of the new union have been suspended as vice presidents of the old group. They are Daniel Conway, Washington; John De Concini, Philadelphia; Amos Miller, Chattanooga; and Archie Goodman, Los Angeles.

The old union said charges of fostering the new "dual union" have been filed against the four suspended vice presidents and against Curtis R. Sims, ousted secretary-treasurer. Cross ousted Sims when the latter first aired corruption charges against Cross.

The five men were charged also with "conspiring to cause locals in the international to disaffiliate from the international with resulting harmful effects on the local membership." The newly-chartered bakers' union claims more than 50,000 of the original union's 132,000 membership.

The ousted union said it would hold trials on Jan. 11 against the five men on Jan. 11.

ISRAEL REPORTED ASKING NATO FOR BORDER PLEDGE

THE HAGUE, Dec. 17 (AP)—Israel has asked NATO countries to guarantee its frontiers, a diplomatic source said today. The request was made after Israeli ambassadors accredited to west European countries met in The Hague last week.

H. Gabor, the envoy to The Netherlands, confirmed that the meeting was held but would not confirm or deny that the request to NATO had been made.

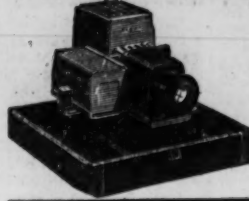
A member of the Turkish embassy meanwhile denied reports that Turkey will ask NATO to support a move to force Israel back to the frontiers laid down in the 1947 U.N. resolution to partition Palestine.

An American spokesman in Paris yesterday said the United States government is opposed to any NATO action on Middle East questions at the current summit conference because, except for Turkey, the Middle East nations are not represented. He said this view had been communicated to the Middle East governments.

Against Booties in Autos.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (UP)—The State Bureau of Motor Vehicles opened a campaign yesterday against the hanging of baby booties and other toys in front of automobile windshields. The bureau said it would ask the Legislature to outlaw the hanging of "good luck toys" which limit motorists' vision.

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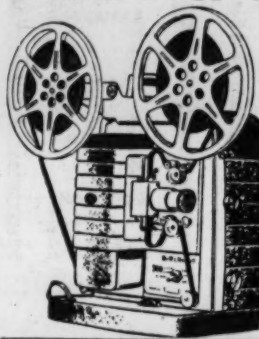
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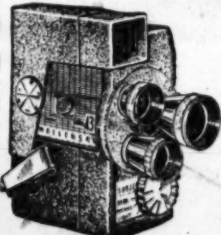
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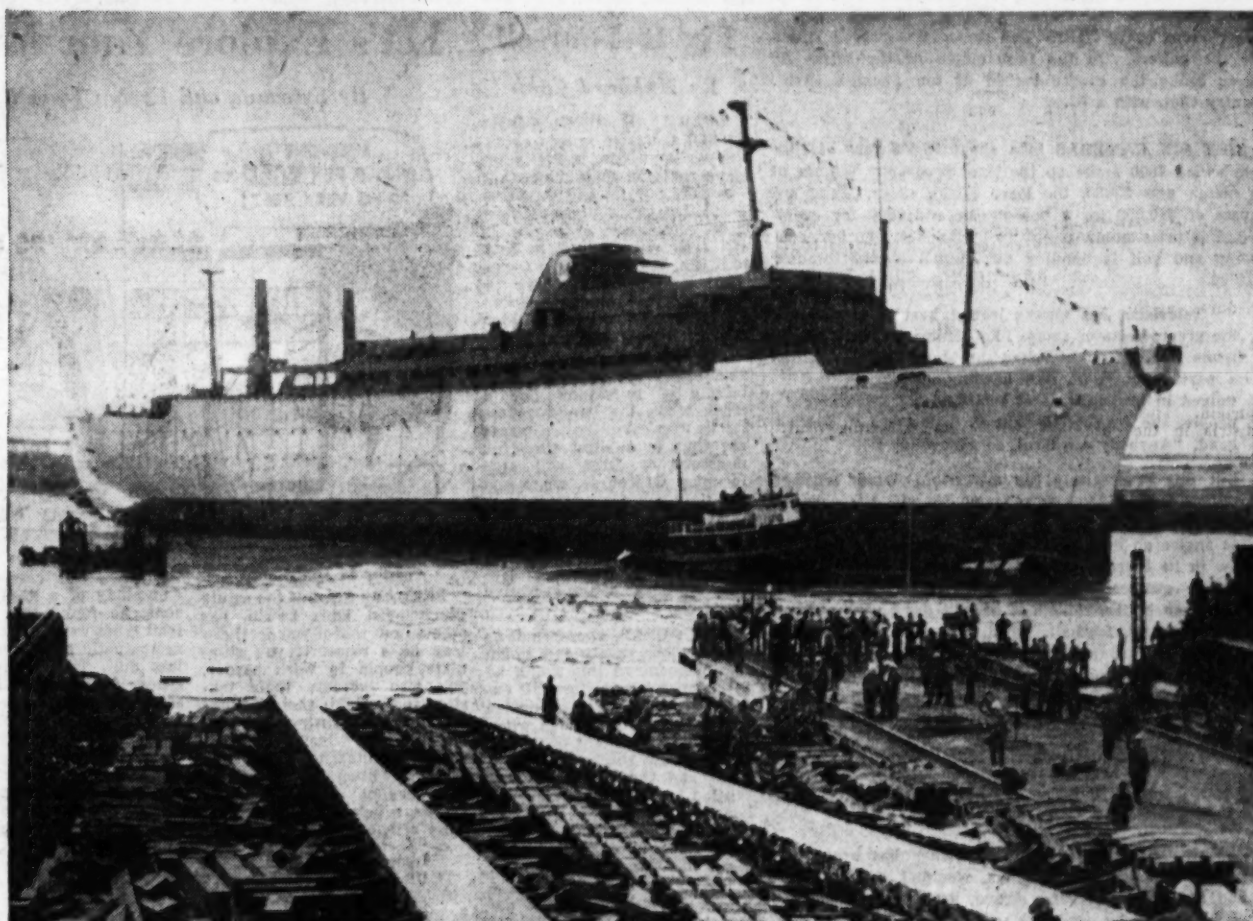
—By Edward Burkhardt, a Post-Dispatch Photographer.



Quake Victims

Grief-stricken Iranian mother, with small son on her knee, sitting in rubble after earthquake wrecked the village of Kangavar. Her husband and four other children were killed in the tremor. The quakes hit Friday and again Sunday, causing a heavy loss of life and severe damage in more than 100 villages in western Iran.

—Associated Press Radiophoto.



Launching of Luxury Liner

Tugs moving in on luxury liner Brasil after \$26,000,000 vessel was launched yesterday at Pascagoula, Miss. The 617-foot ship was built for Moore-McCormack Lines, Inc., and it will travel on the New York to South America run. The Brasil is the largest passenger vessel ever built on the Gulf coast.

—Associated Press Wirephoto.

All Washed Up

Mrs. Norma Oury wading out for close look at some 75 pilot whales which were driven ashore yesterday by a brisk northeast wind at Ormond Beach, Fla. The huge mammals, which ranged in length from 10 to 20 feet, thrashed about in the shallows for some time before they died.

—Associated Press Wirephoto.



John Crosby
Strikes and Strokes
A TV Sports Hit

THE SAME MAN that gave the world "Championship Bowling" on television, is now giving us "All-Star Golf" on ABC-TV (on KTVI at 2:30 p.m. Saturdays) and with just about the same success. This genius is Peter De Met, who is unique among sport producers in that he produces sports events rather than just points a camera at regularly scheduled sporting events.

All-star golf is simply an 18-hole match between two of the top pros in the country, including Sam Snead, Gene Sarazen, Tommy Bolt, Cary Middlecott, Jack Burke Jr., Lloyd Mangrum and Dick Meyer. The matches are shot by six movie cameras and edited down to an hour program. They are real matches and, while a good deal has to be cut out, nothing is put in that doesn't occur. When you see a ball arch down and stop on a green, it didn't get there there. Sidney Goltz, producer-director, puts his six cameras where he figures a golf pro will hit the ball—but they don't always. "Even a top pro occasionally hits one like a duffer and then I'm in trouble along with the golfer. If we miss the action, it's lost forever."



SAM SNEAD... HITS A LONG DRIVE.

RECENTLY, I watched a rather lopsided match between Dutch Harrison and Jack Burke who was red hot that day. Burke won by five strokes. Even though Burke led for the whole hour, the match had great excitement. "That was one of the finest shots I ever saw," whispered Jim Britt, the sports announcer after Burke had made a great chip to the green. Burke was lining up a putt at the time and Britt's voice got more and more conspiratorial. "Burke has about a 30-foot putt for a birdie, if he gets it, he'll have a par 36."

He got it. But they don't always. "Harrison has a chance to take a one stroke lead here. The stick is being attended to by the caddy. There's the putt—ah, a heartbreaker"—as it missed by inches.

Naturally, all holes can't be shown. The ones left out are diagrammed, showing just what each player did on every stroke. The putting is the easiest for the cameras to follow but Goltz wisely gets in a good deal of all of the other kinds of golfing shots. He has found that poking cameras in their faces doesn't seem to upset golfers. "It's the unexpected noise that throws them off. When they expect the camera noise it doesn't seem to bother them," says Goltz. The cameras may even stimulate the golfers. In the first match of the series Ed Oliver broke the course record at the Phoenix (Ariz.) Country Club with a 62.

THE SIX CAMERAS take about 75,000 feet of film from which 2000 make up the final program. Winner of the match gets \$2000, the loser \$1000. Also, there are bonuses of \$10,000 for a hole-in-one and \$500 for every eagle. The prize money is put up by De Met, who between bowling and golf is handing out annual checks totaling \$120,000.

Television has always leaned heavily toward the great spectator sports like boxing or baseball. When DeMet first broached the idea of televising a participant sport like bowling, a pastime indulged in by hundreds of thousands of just plain people, the experts thought he had rocks in his head. "Anybody can bowl, so why watch it?"

But this is precisely the attraction. While millions know how to bowl, not very many can roll up scores of 230 and the duffers like to look at the hotshots and get a few angles on how it's done. "Championship Bowling" is now in its fourth year and has a better audience than any other syndicated sports show on television. Golf may do even better, though it doesn't draw very well on Saturday against football. Still, it's done well enough for De Met to start thinking about televising other participant sports. We may yet live to see the day when a good spirited table tennis match will be on a national network.

Peter J. Steincrohn, M.D.

Medical Questions

DEAR DR. STEINCROHN: If a man has been to a party and had too many drinks, wouldn't a few walks around the block and some strong, hot coffee be enough to fix him up so he would be sober enough to drive?

MR. E.E.

ANSWER: He would still be a menace to himself and to other drivers. Alcoholic content of the blood falls very slowly, no matter what you do to hasten it. Drs. R. A. McFarland and R. C. Moore have conducted experiments at the Harvard School of Public Health. They gave one subject the equivalent of eight highballs over a period of four hours. His blood alcohol reached 0.15 per cent in about two hours; and 14 hours after his last drink the blood alcohol was still 0.09 per cent. Because of this, and similar data, commercial airlines require that their pilots abstain for at least 18 hours before flight time.

DEAR DR. STEINCROHN: I have just made the acquaintance of a food faddist. He gets angry when I call him that. Yet I must admit that lately he has me wondering if what he claims isn't true. For example, he says that I should never drink water during my meals. Also that coffee is bad before sleep. And that I should not mix proteins, fats and starches at mealtime. Is there any sense to any of this? Thank you, Mr. L.S.

ANSWER: I know of no good reason why water can't be taken with your food. As for coffee, that depends upon you. It is all right to use in moderation at night if it doesn't keep you awake. As for not mixing the various food elements, there is no scientific basis for that reasoning, either. The stomach has no separate compartments for proteins, fats and starches. Whether you take them together or separately, soon they are all churned about as if they were in one common mixing bowl.

Bennett Cerf
Try and Stop Me

DOWN THE MAIN STREET staggered one of the happiest hunters afoot. Though it was past midnight, he was playing—after a fashion—on a battered harmonica.

Out of the shadows stepped a constable. In a kindly but firm manner, he took the mouth organist by the arm, and observed, "Brother, you need help. Kindly accompany me."

"Delighted," murmured the celebrator with an ingratiating grin. "What would you like to sing?"

Making a Game of Housekeeping

One Man's Formula: Stack Everything in One Pile and Play With the Kids



By John Keasler

(Last of a Series)
WOMEN HAVE scant organizational sense and little ability to control their environment.

This is why they sit in a warm house sipping coffee while the male goes to work in a blizzard.

Hmm. Maybe that statement weakens my basic point and I suggest we all ignore it—the fact is, however, that women keep house all wrong.

Wives piddle about their chores, wasting energy, deaf to logic and utterly inefficient. On the other hand, the Husband—noble, efficient, brave, clean, dog's best friend—immediately sizes up what is to be done. And does it.

In fact, it is amazing what a husband can do. I could tell from the reaction of friends who dropped by while I was a housekeeper for 10 days. "Great Scott!" they shouted, amazed. "What happened?"

Basking in such admiration brings a warm glow, I tell you. Much of the acclaim, I feel, may be attributed to one housekeeping innovation I worked out in less time that it takes to develop recurrent migraine.

THE STOCKPILE. This is a must for homemaking huddles. It saves looking all over the house for children's coats, books, the cat, unwrapped newspapers, coathangers, the screwdriver, rocket guns and

other items of an associated nature. One merely piles all moveable objects in the same pile, as they come to hand.

By that method, you can search fruitfully in the same place for something instead of searching fruitlessly all over the house. The fact that women, down throughout history, have failed to work out this simple solution for themselves speaks volumes.

All required for a functional stockpile is a convenient location. The living room floor is just dandy. A stockpile gives a home that lived-in look and saves countless steps. I am working out a time and motion study on the entire subject and plan to sell it to Popular Mechanics, if the price is right.

NOW, WE COME to the question of entertaining children on days when they cannot be trusted outside. St. Louis, while noted for its clement and balmy weather, does have days—as even the staunchest booster among us must admit—when children would be uncomfortable outside, due to the fact they would drown, sink in the mud or freeze solid.

On such days, then, the Husband as Homemaker will find himself up to his equilibrium in happy little bra-kiddies, perched from all over the neighborhood. What a jolly chance to exercise his ingenuity! How may the kiddies be entertained?

For a while their eager little minds will devise their own en-

tertainment, and the homemaker may go about his own duties while they put lingers on the dog or climb the stockpile, because it is there. Eventually, however, one will hear the keening little whine: "Daddy, what can we dooooooooooooo?"

Who among us but what will drop everything to spend a carefree few hours with the kiddies?

Me, that's who. I mean I got to get something done about these dishes—they're piled up over the window sill and the kitchen is getting dark. So, one makes little suggestions for fun and games.

Keep on hand a good supply of crayons. Also sheets of blank paper. Suggest drawing pictures. The children will be quiet for long periods of time. Then go back and explain the pictures should have been drawn on the paper, not the wall. What gales of merriment ensue as father chases the kiddies with a bludgeon! (Blind Rage Buff.)

Many other games will evolve: Drop the Father, Pin the Tail on the Dog, Ring Around the China Closet, Fiasco, Fiasco, Who Overflew the Baited and others.

At this point my wife called from the hospital. "How's it going?" she inquired.

"Oh, fine, excellent, great!" One must maintain one's efficient facade, thinking of past household chats with one's helpmeet. ("What you need, Margery, is organization.") "Oh,

yes? Well, I'd like to see you try to run this zoo for just one week."

Depths of meaning are in her tones. "Got everything all systemized?"

"Certainly. It is simply a matter of organization." ONE HANGS UP, absently puts the laundry bundle in the playpen and starts upstairs to put a pillow case on the baby. The vacuum cleaner is whirling happily in the closet right where it belongs. Whirling happily? One unplugs it. The children are playing at frothing at the mouth with the 89 cent shaving cream dispenser.

All remaining is to make several beds, fix lunch if the grocery boy ever arrives with the new hamper of hot dogs, take the peanut butter out of the ice cube tray where it is in little cubes (do not ask me about this, ever) and not more than 1001 other of the daily tasks of housewives. And, nothing comes more daily than housewiving.

Now I have said it before and I say it again.

There is nothing difficult about housework that a little organization couldn't help, and after 10 days as a housewife I am positive I have made my point except for one slight amendment.

Instead of a little organization, the answer would seem to lie more in a big organization. Ladies, I would suggest either the AFL or CIO—a strong union is your only way out.

THE END.

Brain Game

HERE is a Biblical quiz. Six answers correct is excellent.

1. Can you name the wife of Joseph?
2. Who refused to sell his vineyard to Ahab?
3. Can you name the blind man who was healed at Jericho?
4. What was the fate of Naboth?
5. Who invented the lyser?
6. What proof did the dove bring Noah?
7. Who was rebuked by his donkey?
8. For how long did the Flood last?

Answers.
1. Asenath. 2. Naboth. 3. Bartimeus. 4. He was stoned to death. 5. Jubal. 6. Olive-leaf. 7. Balaam. 8. For 150 days.

Let's Explore Your Mind

By Sylvanus and Evelyn Duval



Answer to Question 1. PERHAPS SO. But the astute psychologist Kurt Lewin, has pointed out that if you do, there may be a price. If you stimulate people to work harder, you also increase their feelings of guilt. In industry, "turning on the heat" may result in more absenteeism, turnovers, or more "illnesses." Far safer than urging people to work harder, is helping them to work more efficiently.

Answer to Question 2. TRUE, says Professor Charles Morris. After a careful testing and study of a group of persons, he found that the thin, frail types were markedly more sympathetic to others, but far less dull. The strong athletic types tended to be more sociable and less concerned for a balanced life. The more rotund types were the least inclined to self-discipline and more self-sufficient. Remember, however, that training and personal choice can and usually are far more influential. Yet, some physical types do find some things a lot easier and more attractive than do others.

Senator Soaper Says:

—THIS LITTLE SUSIE, who won't wake up, is the stubbornest girl in the popular music field since Irene, the one it took so long to say good night to.

The National Safety Council thinks there may be 1000 fewer traffic deaths this year than in 1956. Maybe this is a sign the recession is on—fewer people can afford to drink and drive both.

Sales of small, foreign cars

—BILL VAUGHAN.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



Eleanor Roosevelt
Scientists and KP Duty

NEW YORK.

AN ARTICLE in the New York Times last Friday, under the heading "Army Scientists May Quit Kitchen," makes it clear, I think, how foolish certain things in the draft have become.

It seems that qualified scientists have been doing KP duty. Now with great virtue the Army announces through its adjutant general, in a report to a Congressman who had complained about this, that it is reviewing its policy and it may see its way clear to allow scientists who held important positions in civilian life to return to those positions when they cannot be used in the Army on work that is of value in their particular line. The Congressman evidently had "thoroughly documented information" that 55 engineers at the Aberdeen (Md.) Proving Ground were spending an average of 22 per cent of their time in such chores as washing dishes and standing guard.

FOR A LONG TIME I have been saying that we in the United States wasted human material, and this particular report points up the kind of waste which has been going on. I complain more often about the fact that our taxpayers are willing to let certain young people who should obtain higher education lose out because of economic reasons. It is unfortunate for the youngsters, but far more unfortunate for the country as a whole. This is one of the areas in which our country must face the Russian challenge. They use their manpower better than we do. They waste very little; and it is high time that we did review, as the Army promises



MRS. ROOSEVELT

to do in this instance, our whole defense program.

THIS ALSO points up the need to ask our doctors to devise a method whereby everyone will get the medical care he needs from prenatal care on, regardless of ability to pay. This is part of the defense of our country, yet it is one of the areas in which we have been most wasteful of our human material. Study should be going on in all fields so that this waste can be eliminated.

I have been asked to point out, since I mentioned the fact that there was a considerable amount of unemployment, that there is need of more occupational therapists and that this is a profession where young people can be sure of finding a job. However, it does require long training and, better yet, to attract those capable of taking the training.



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On Broadway

A LONDON GAZETTE claims Louis Armstrong was nicknamed "Satchmo" by the British press in the early 30s. Mebbeso, but "Satchmo" is pure Americanese—the abbreviation for "satchelmouth"—meaning huge—like a satchel or valise.



REX HARRISON... BEHIND A FAD.

fedoras in checks and plaids—made popular by the chappo Rex Harrison wore in "Fair Lady."

Not only did "Les Girls" borrow the method of telling its tale from "Rashomon," it got its title (and more) from the late Robert E. Sherwood's stage hit, "Idiot's Delight." That play told the story of an American song-and-dance man, who toured Yurrop with a dance act named "Les Girls." . . . Alfred Lunt played the role on the stage, Gable did it on the screen. . . . Leta St. Clair, latest Italian cinema star, was born in the Brownsville sector of Brooklyn. . . . Overheard about Bing Crosby: "What a strange guy. Whenever you see him with a wife—she's his!"

Tallulah's reason for peddling her country manse: "I worked all summer in stock to pay for the swimming pool. But by the time I got around to using it it was covered with ice!" . . . Jack Dempsey, without fanfare or press agents, often visits St. Clare's Hospital in New York to cheer the patients. Champs are like that.

ANOTHER LANDMARK fading from the Broadway scene—the gagwriter. . . . One of the topnotchers (with no comics to write for) is sorting mail at the Post Office. . . . Many others are working in other lines. . . . Hollywood fears that another 3000 movie theaters will be closed by New Year's. . . . Ben Blue's new spot near Santa Monica (on the site of the former Macay) is attracting the Hollywood fun-starved. . . . Joshua Logan, the topflight stage and film producer, is taking piano lessons "as a hobby." . . . He's almost 50.

An American actress named Jacqueline McKenzie, who has done many teevie commercials, lost scads of bookings (she alleges) because an English girl with the same name recently appeared on a midnight show and was panned hard by the critics. . . . Next day the United States actress, who was up for a \$25,000 commershill series, was brushed. . . . The ad lads thawed she was the one who was roasted. . . . She is taking the matter to lawyers to see if she has a lawsuit against those responsible for "lousing up" her career.

Angelo Patri Those Toy Guns

IT IS NEWS to nobody that I am against toy guns for children. My experience teaches me that as a child plays he colors his future attitudes and conduct. When his play makes for sharing fun with his companions he is likely, in his adolescence, to be a good team member. If his play is concentrated on beating up his playmates, "killing" them in cowboy games he might carry that exuberant forcefulness into adolescence and that would not add to his success in any association. So much for the normal-minded child.

A toy gun in the hands of any child is a reality to him for the time being. He knows he is playing a game but has only a vague idea of the real meaning of a gun. As he grows older that meaning becomes clearer and he has more respect for the weapon and its possibilities. Not so the subnormal child. His ideas about most things are likely to be confused. The more backward he is the more confused he can be. In his hands a toy gun is a mistake. There might come a time when he, in his confused state, used a real one. That has happened.

Now an angry child is in a state of mental confusion. This, in combination with his youthful inexperience might lead him to use a gun in deadly earnest. That too, has happened.

CONSIDER THE GAMES the children play with these toys. I saw a fine little lad wearing a black mask across his upper face, a toy gun in his hand, playing hold-up man. Is that a good idea for even a highly intelligent lad to play? Isn't there something better than that to engage his play spirit?

AGGRESSION is born in all of us and we have to learn to take it out harmlessly to ourselves and other people. A child has to be led toward that idea and toy guns are not doing that. Ball games, football, baseball, stick games, swimming, all water sports, digging, pounding—a stout block and a wooden mallet—are fine for this if the things can be had. Hard physical exercise is the right, the best outlet for aggressions.

Also "talking back." I know this is against all the rules but it is a therapeutic measure that makes for sound mental health, makes for common sense relations between children and grown-up people. Let the child speak his piece and listen without anger while he does so. Let him get it off his mind. Once the first angry rush is past his lips he is in a state to listen and then one tells him that loudness, bitterness, rudeness is not allowed in argument. Just explanations in ordinary tones, please—and make the explanations. And just be careful of the kind of child before giving him a gun of any kind.

Emily Post Social Problems

DEAR MRS. POST: I wish older people who haven't seen me for awhile would stop saying, "My but you look exactly like your mother"—or sometimes they will think I look just like my father. It's not that I mind looking like my parents, because I think they are very good looking. But when people say this to me I never know what to answer. I don't believe they mean it anyway, because I can't look exactly like both parents, can I?

Answer: No, but you can (and evidently do) resemble both parents. And people who know one or the other better quite understandably, I think, see your likeness to this one parent. Of one thing you can be sure: No one means this unkindly, and you must certainly be polite enough at least to smile in appreciation, because, as you said yourself, it is a compliment. You might find it less awkward than standing in silence, to say, "Many people think so." or "I'm glad you think so."

Flickering Glow of Christmas

Your Donation Will Make It a Happier Holiday for 100 Neediest Cases

By Mary Kimbrough

CAN THE WARM GLOW of Christmas penetrate the walls of a home which has known only sickness and discouragement?

There are five children and all are ill. One boy is losing the sight of his right eye. A daughter suffers from chronic ear infection which doctors say ultimately will take her hearing away completely. The baby, ill since birth, cannot stand or sit up.

No wonder the parents, who have been compelled to seek public assistance, find the future frightening. They see no hope of overcoming their heartbreaking problem. The father is disabled and the mother is on the verge of a nervous breakdown.

There can be no celebration of Christmas in this home but, perhaps, the harsh realities of their lives can be softened somewhat by the concern of others. A gift of \$30 would enable the parents to buy some of the clothes their children need and maybe a toy or two, especially for the more seriously afflicted ones.

This is case 56 among the 100 neediest cases, being published by the Post-Dispatch in co-operation with the Christmas Bureau of the Social Planning Council. To insure that specific needs can be met, gifts of cash are requested.

Case 57
Mrs. G., mother of four active boys, is paralyzed from the waist down and has not been able to leave her home for five years. With the aid of crutches and helped by her children, she can make her way slowly and painfully to the window, or stand for a few moments at a time, but because of her disability cannot supervise the children or prepare their meals. A gift of \$35 would provide a wheelchair so that she might get outside occasionally and move more easily around the drab little home.

Case 58
Robert, a 7-year-old boy reared in an underprivileged home, is greatly overweight but because of a meager family budget the special diet he needs cannot be provided. Meanwhile, he has outgrown his clothing. A gift of \$50 would provide the right clothing and special foods for this boy and a few Christmas remembrances for his mother and the three younger children in the household.

Case 59
Often, when a young mother is deserted, she becomes embittered and, in turn, neglects her children. But this is not the case with Mrs. L. Mother of four children and expecting a fifth this month, she is trying desperately to maintain a happy home for the family which her husband deserted. A gift of \$35 would help this woman provide winter coats and shoes for her children.

Case 60
Mrs. A. and her 13-year-old grandson live in a shabby home, their public assistance income barely enough to meet their essential needs of rent and food. The boy, who is mentally deficient, often wanders away if not under strict supervision and his grandmother tries her best to care for him and give him a good home life. A gift of \$35 would make it possible for her to purchase a warm coat for the boy and a few Christmas gifts.

Case 61
Mrs. H., 66, is a lonely,

Elizabeth Hillyer

Practical Stack Chairs

THE MOST PRACTICAL ideas work so much better these days because the furnishings that make them work keep their good looks. Stacking chairs, for example. These solve Mrs. J. G.'s problem with the beauty of her dining room and the comfort of molded backs and seats, although they're not too proud to hide away snugly in a closet.

"We have room for a game table in just one spot at our house," Mrs. J. writes, "but more than two chairs pulled up to it permanently is out of the question. Can I find storing and non-storing chairs and a table that all go together attractively?"

Folding chairs that don't look as if they fold with their matching tables answer your question one way. Mrs. J. and this furniture does it another way, with space-saving stacking chairs matching a teak table. Two kinds of chairs aren't necessary. This could be a dining table for two in the family which adds seating for guests. (John Stuart, Inc.)

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



—Drawing by Leslie Motley, Washington University.

handicapped woman whose husband has been a hospital patient for more than a year. She desperately needs shoes and clothing but because of her limited income cannot buy them. Her old washing machine is broken and she must use a coin-operated machine each week. Since this is on the first floor and she lives on the fifth,

she finds it difficult to get up and down the stairs to do the laundry. A wonderful Christmas gift for her would be \$20 to repair the machine and buy the shoes she needs.

Case 62
With both parents hospitalized for mental illness, four

Where to Send Contributions

Contributions of money for St. Louis needy families should be mailed to the Christmas Fund Editor, St. Louis Post-Dispatch. The contributions will be made available to agencies of the Social Planning Council of St. Louis and St. Louis County. Agency case workers will distribute the money to underprivileged families before Christmas.

Please make checks, no matter what amount, payable to the Christmas Fund. Donations thus far total \$10,450.

For further information or to discuss contributions other than money, please get in touch with the Christmas Bureau of the Social Planning Council, 505 North Seventh street. Telephone numbers are GARfield 1-3600 and GARfield 1-6118.

children were placed in foster homes. The parents now are recovering and hope to reunite the family for they love their children and want to provide a good home for them. A cash gift of \$50 would ease the economic pressure on the parents and protect them from the worry which might retard their progress toward rehabilitation.

Case 63
What will Christmas be in this St. Louis home? Mrs. J. lives alone in a room at the top of a rickety back stairway. She has no wearable shoes. She must wear a coat to shield her thin body from the chill of winter. There is no furniture, just a bedspread covered with newspaper. The coat serves as a bed cover at night. A former landlady had taken Mrs. J.'s furniture for overdue rent. The tiny woman suffers from poor eyesight and shortness of breath. With no stove to cook on she lives on prepared food and sandwiches. This would be the most wonderful Christmas of her life if she had a real bed and a stove to keep her home warm. A gift of \$60 would make this possible.

Case 64
This 59-year-old widow suffered a stroke this year and is paralyzed. While she was in the hospital, her husband died unexpectedly so, with no one to care for her, she was forced to enter a nursing home. A generous-hearted St. Louisan could bring a little happiness to this woman with a gift of \$25 at Christmas, with which she could buy two badly-needed housecoats, gowns, slippers, stamps and stationery.

Case 65
Mr. and Mrs. K., who are in their early fifties, had saved for their old age. But Mr. K., a skilled carpenter, became ill with cancer in 1956 and six major operations wiped out their savings and left them in debt. They lost their home and automobile. Now they live in a rented two-room house and because of his high medical costs and the thought that this may be their last Christmas together, the season holds little joy for them. A gift of \$50 would mean much to them this year.

More cases of needy families, taken from the rolls of the Social Planning Council agencies, will be published Friday.

Some New Products For Home

By Lawrence Galton

Electric Door Mat: Now you can get a door mat that goes to work automatically, whenever it's stepped on, to clean sand and grit from shoe soles. The device, which becomes a permanent part of the floor at the entrance, is recessed, shows only a polished and attractive aluminum grill at floor level. Inside, it contains a 1/4 h.p. motor that makes 15 brushes oscillate in opposite directions to thoroughly clean shoe soles. Dirt falls into a box below from which it can be removed periodically. Although quite expensive, it's no luxury, claims the maker, since most dirt in a house comes in through the door and, by stopping it there, the electric mat will pay for itself many times over in added years of rug and linoleum wear and in elimination of a good deal of scrubbing and sweeping.

Bath Brush: To make bathtub cleaning easier, there's a long-handled swivel brush that lets you clean from a comfortable standing position without kneeling or stooping. The brush locks at various angles that make it easy to reach all corners of the tub. The adjustable brush head also is useful behind stoves, refrigerators, radiators, heavy furniture and other hard-to-reach places.

Add Ingenuties: A new ribbon for package decorating forms its own perfect bow every time. A woven-in drawing does the trick. Cut off a desired length of the ribbon, pull both ends of the string, and the bow is formed automatically. . . . A new appliance does triple service as coffee percolator, tea maker, and serving carafe. Made of clear, flame-proof glass, with brass or copper trim, it has a stem and basket for percolating coffee, a long-chained caddy for brewing tea. With coffee and tea units removed, it becomes a serving carafe, has a hinged cover with convenient thumb lift, a metal-lized "stay-cool" handle.

If you'd like further information on any of the above items, write Lawrence Galton in care of the Post-Dispatch, identifying item, giving date of appearance and enclosing stamped and self-addressed envelope. Inquiries must be sent no later than two weeks after the appearance of the item.

Tasty Tricks



Baskets of beautiful fruit bedecked with holly deserve to become a modern Christmas tradition. Color-bright fruit will add sparkle to the holiday table.

Bridge Deck

By Florence Osborn

"THE NINTH ANNUAL Westchester Contract Bridge championships, recently held at the County Center in White Plains, N.Y., was by far the most successful in the history of the Westchester Contract Bridge Association, which sponsored the tournament," writes Alfred S. Schechter, Scarsdale attorney. "Attendance records in all events were broken."

Mr. Schechter and George Kent, also of Scarsdale, won the men's pairs and Yada Van De Walker Scroope of White Plains and Irene Korndorfer of Scarsdale won the women's pairs.

Murray L. Schnee of Jamaica, L.I., and Dr. Kalman Apfel of the Bronx, finished first in the open pairs and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moss of Long Beach, L.I., took first place in the mixed pairs.

Playing on the winning team-of-four were Mark A. Berger and Richard Cowan, both of Great Neck, L.I.; Joseph Elensgart of Jamaica, L.I., and Jack Van Gelder of New York.

"Mel Varnhagen of White Plains played with Richard Meyer of Scarsdale in their first major tournament and they finished eleventh in the star-studded open pair championship," reports Mr. Schechter. "Late Saturday night they were discovered still dazed and practically speechless after having doubled and made six spades, doubled and redoubled, missing three aces. The result, of course, was a very cold top on the board."

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By, for and about WOMEN

Holiday Party Series Planned for Debutantes

By Karin Hayward

LATE THIS WEEK, when the debutantes away at school return to St. Louis for the holidays, the Christmas season, the gayest of their debut year, will begin with innumerable parties scheduled.



Monday to be given by Mrs. Joseph Renard at the Junior League Clubrooms.

From 5 until 7 o'clock Friday Mrs. Arthur B. Shepley will honor her granddaughter, Miss Emily Catlin Keyes, at a reception to be given at Mrs. Shepley's home, 54 Westmoreland place. The next evening Miss Keyes will share honors with Miss Jane Conant and Miss Margaret Wightman at a dinner to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Newell A. Augar at Deer Creek Club. She will be presented to society Christmas day with Miss Josephine Noel at a reception at St. Louis Country Club from 5 until 9 o'clock.

Saturday afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock Miss Sally Heffernan, home from Newton (Mass.) College, will be introduced to family friends at a tea at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Heffernan, 21 Ridgeway, Richmond Heights. The day after her party she will be guest of honor at a cocktail party to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard F. Dickmann, 17 Kingsbury place.

Another Sunday event will be a cocktail party to be given for Miss Ann Luedinghaus, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Luedinghaus, by Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. John B. Latzer. The party will take place at the Latzers' home, 5 University lane, Clayton. On Dec. 27 Miss Luedinghaus again will be honored, this time at a luncheon to be given at the University Club with Mrs. Hugh W. Baird and Mrs. Ralph F. Piper as co-hostesses.

Miss Elizabeth Ann Mullen will be home tomorrow from Duchesne Residence, New York. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Mullen Jr., she will meet her mother's friends at a tea next Monday. The party will take place at the Mullen home, 28 West Brentwood, Clayton.

Miss Loriel Desloge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Desloge, and Miss Wightman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin S. Wightman Jr., will share honors Dec. 28 at a coaching party to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Blanke. Guests will meet for cocktails at noon at St. Louis Country Club and will travel by coach to Deer Creek Club for luncheon.

CHRISTOPHER JOY WOODS and Jeffery Ladd Woods, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Woodson K. Woods III of Louisiana, Mo., and two of Mrs. Paul A. Johnson's three grandsons, were baptized Sunday afternoon as the first act of worship in the new Woodson K. Woods Jr. Memorial Chapel of Ladue, Chapin.

The new building and chapel were dedicated Sunday morning. Donors of the chapel were Woodson K. Woods III and Richard Randolph Woods, sons of the late Woodson K. Woods Jr., Mrs. Johnson, his widow, and James H. Woods, his brother.

Miss Susan Wendel Spence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Spence, 49 Godwin lane, Ladue, will arrive here Friday to spend the Christmas recess with her parents. She is a student at St. Stephen's Episcopal School in Austin, Tex.

Miss Lucille Carrie Lazard of New Orleans will arrive here Dec. 26 for a holiday visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Greensfelder, 23 Southmoor, Clayton. Mr. and Mrs. Greensfelder will give a cocktail party at their home Sunday, Dec. 29, at 6 o'clock to be followed by a dinner dance at the University Club. Miss Lazard, a graduate of Pine Manor Junior College, Wellesley, Mass., is now studying art at the Moore Institute of Design in Philadelphia. She will spend the first part of her holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calme L. Lazard, in New Orleans.

Miss Buckland Honored at Parties.

PARTIES HONORING Miss Nan Carroll Buckland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Buckland, 325 North Woodlawn avenue, Kirkwood, whose marriage to James Norris Johnson will take place Dec. 28 at the Kirkwood Presbyterian Church, started Sept. 30 when Mrs. Morgan Selvidge of Eureka gave a dinner and shower. Guests included the teachers of the Osage school where Miss Buckland teaches first grade.

Nov. 9, Mr. and Mrs. Warren M. Sarff, 317 North Woodlawn avenue, Kirkwood, gave a dinner at their home. The mothers of Miss Buckland's pupils gave a shower Nov. 15 at the home of Mrs. P. Gordon Glunt, 91 Wildwood, Osage Hills. The following evening Mr. and Mrs. Jack M. Schutz gave a buffet supper honoring the engaged couple at their home, 8320 Delcrest avenue, University City.

Last Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Doughton, Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Mellvany and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent A. Zupan entertained Miss Buckland and her fiancé at a buffet supper at the Doughton home, 20 Berkshire, Richmond Heights.

Next Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall E. Young will give a cocktail party and bar shower for the prospective bride and bridegroom at the Young home, 14 Clermont lane, Ladue.

The spinster dinner will be held at the Missouri Athletic Club Dec. 26 and will be given by Miss Lorette Burke, one of Miss Buckland's bridesmaids.

The rehearsal dinner will be held at Le Chateau the evening before the wedding and will be given by Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Melvin Johnson, 7455 Rupert avenue, Richmond Heights.

The Wydown Players, Inc., will hold tryouts at 7:30 o'clock tonight and tomorrow night at the Church of St. Michael and St. George for "The Reluctant Debutante," a former Broadway hit. Rehearsals for the production will begin after the first of the year.

Check for Hospital



MRS. JAMES M. INGHAM, SEATED LEFT, REPRESENTING THE FRIENDS OF THE ST. LOUIS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, PRESENTS TO MISS LILLY D. HOEKSTRA, HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATOR, A CHECK FOR \$1400 TO BE USED FOR COMPLETING A PSYCHIATRIC WARD. STANDING ARE MRS. B. F. HICKMAN III, LEFT, AND MRS. EDWARD F. ENGLER, MEMBERS OF THE FRIENDS, A GROUP OF VOLUNTEERS WHICH CARRIES PROJECTS TO BENEFIT THE HOSPITAL.

Miss Dolan Engaged To George L. Eifert

THE engagement of Miss Mary Catherine Dolan to George Lester Eifert was announced at a party at her home, 3955 Dunnica avenue. Miss Dolan, daughter of Mrs. Aloysius F. Dolan and the late Mr. Dolan, was graduated from St. Joseph's Academy. She is the sister of John P. Dolan, Brother K. Aloysius, F.S.C., Mrs.



MISS MARY CATHERINE DOLAN

Peter E. Des Jardins (Agnes Dolan) of Lake Charles, La., Thomas Dolan and Miss Patricia Dolan. Mr. Eifert, 4704 Locke avenue, son of Lester C. Eifert and the late Mrs. Eifert, is an alumnus of McBride High School and received his B.S. degree from St. Louis University where

he became a member of Theta Kappa Phi fraternity. He has one sister, Mrs. Richard Feld.

Zebrack-Gomberg Engagement Told

THE engagement of Miss Barbara Iris Gomberg to Dr. Sam David Zebrack was announced Thanksgiving day at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Schulman in Baltimore.

Miss Gomberg is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Gomberg of Washington. She is a graduate of Forest Park High School, Baltimore, and now is a junior at Towson State Teachers College, Towson, Md., majoring in elementary education. Dr. Zebrack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zebrack, 4983 Schollmeyer street, took his pre-medical training at Washington University and was graduated from Illinois College of Chiropractic and Foot Surgery. He is past president of the Durlacher Chiropractic Association and past president of Alpha chapter of Zeta Delta fraternity. He served as post chiropractor at Fort Polk Army Hospital in Louisiana during his tour of duty in the Army.

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Alice Peters To Be Married In Kirkwood

MISS ALICE PETERS will be married quietly at 11 o'clock Monday morning at the home of the prospective bride's father, William Arthur Peters, 337 West Argonne drive. The Rev. James Doubleday, rector of Grace Episcopal Church, will perform the ceremony after which Mr. Bolay and his bride will go on a brief trip before returning to the Peters home to live.

Mrs. Joseph E. Burger will be matron of honor and Mr. Bolay will be attended by W. Moerschell Uhlemeyer as best man.

Miss Peters holds bachelor's and master's degrees from Washington University. Mr. Bolay, who now lives at the Saum Hotel, St. Louis, was born in Stuttgart, Germany. He was educated in Germany and at Washington University.

Dr. and Mrs. Eugene P. Fromm and their daughter, Miss Carol Fromm, will arrive Christmas eve from their home in Cincinnati to be holiday guests of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. Whitney, 581 Brookhaven avenue. Mrs. Whitney is planning a family dinner Christmas day.

A recent visitor at the White home was his mother, Mrs. Marlin V. Whitney of Ann Arbor, Mich. Both the Fromm and Whitney families have cottages on Mullet Lake, Mich., where they have become acquainted with St. Louis families who also vacation there.

Miss Susan Frederick will arrive home Friday from the

University of Kansas, Lawrence, where she is a senior, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Frederick, 211 Elm avenue.

Members of the Rowena Clark Garden Club were entertained at luncheon yesterday at the home of Mrs. Arthur C. Stockstrom, 3011 North St. Louis. The club spent making wreaths and singing carols.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark P. Fiske, 318 North Woodlawn avenue, moved last week to their new home at 345 North Dickson avenue.

Myers-Sharlin Engagement Told

THE engagement of Mrs. E. Edward Sharlin to Willard Baron Myers was announced at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ira H. Myers, 318 South Hanley road, Clayton, on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Sharlin, a widow, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Glantz of New York. A graduate of Hunter College, New York, she is currently a fashion writer in that city.

Mr. Myers, whose first wife was the late Mrs. Shirley Silver Myers, is a graduate of Washington University School of Law. He is vice president of a hosiery mill in High Point, N.C. He has one sister, Mrs. Milton Voda of Ladue.

Both families will attend the wedding, which will take place in New York Jan. 15. After a brief honeymoon, the couple will live in Greensboro, N.C.

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- Cooking necessity
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- Commen- dation
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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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SOMETIMES the moon is called "the earth's companion." It keeps going around and around the earth, at the same time that the earth is making its yearly trip around the sun.

In a revolution around the earth, the moon travels one and a half million miles.

Q. How fast does the moon travel?

A. It circles the earth at a speed six-tenths of a mile a second. Another moon takes the moon around the sun at an average speed of about 18 miles a second, the same as the average speed of the earth around the sun.

Q. Is the earth or the moon farther from the sun?

A. Sometimes one and sometimes the other.

Q. On each moonlit night, the moon's position may be observed to make a big change from hour to hour. Is that due to the moon's motion around the earth?

A. The chief reason for the hour-to-hour change in the moon's position is the spinning of the earth. Our earth spins or twists around, once in 24 hours. During 10 hours of darkness, we observe a wide change in the moon's position in the sky.

There also is a night-to-night change in the place the moon is seen. At 8 o'clock on one night, it is in a different place in the sky than it was at 8 o'clock on the previous night. The night-to-night change is due to the revolution of the moon around the earth.

Q. It is estimated that a rocket will need to travel seven miles a second to escape from the gravity of the earth. If that is correct, how can the moon keep its place when it is traveling only six-tenths of a mile a second?

A. The estimate of seven miles a second is for the "escape" of a rocket from the earth's gravity. That speed will be needed for a few thousand miles if a rocket is to reach the moon. At a distance of 50,000 miles, the rocket's speed could be less without danger of a pull-back to the earth.

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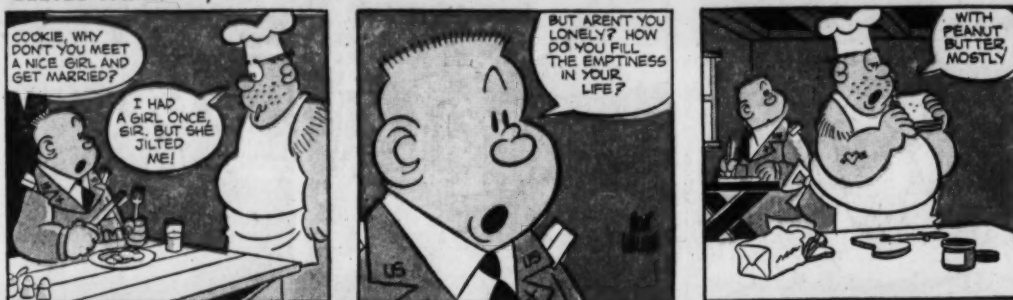
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